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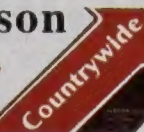
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Sarah Ladurantaye of Briarwinds Farm in Ingoldsby brought her 28-year-old pony Dusty to the CHACE daycare in Minden last week to give youngsters, such as Christopher Trask, a ride.

Farmers debate funding merits

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

Interest is growing among farmers in Haliburton County who would like to reap the benefits of a provincial agricultural funding program; but there's one big problem — farmers might not

be able to afford to access the money.

"If we do a project under this program, the farmers have to pay 100 per cent of the bill until the money can be reimbursed from the provincial government," said Ross Warburton of the Haliburton County Farmer's Association,

and organizer of a meeting held recently to inform local farmers of the Healthy Futures for Ontario program.

Warburton was echoing the concerns of many farmers when he said that farmers could experience cash flow problems until

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Weekend parties prompt call for noise bylaw

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

Matt Rohatynski wants the Township of Minden Hills to pass a noise bylaw so he and his family can get a good night's sleep.

In a short presentation to Minden Hills' Committee-of-the-Whole last week, Rohatynski said he was looking for guidance from the township in an effort to curb some of the noise issues in his neighbourhood.

"All summer my family and most of our neighbours slept with our windows shut in 35° heat, some wore earplugs and I can't even use my new deck," said Rohatynski, who recently bought a cottage on the Gull River off Deep Bay Road.

Among other allegations, the Gull River resident says loud music, profanity, nudity and excessive drunkenness and vomiting has made his family weary of visiting the cottage on weekends in the summer.

"I have a six-year-old who doesn't want to go to the cottage because it's too noisy," he said. "Any time we open our doors, any time of the day there's yelling and screaming going on."

While he has only owned his cottage for a short time, Rohatynski said he has called the Ontario Provincial Police 15 times over a six-week period, complaining of excessive noise from across the river.

He said he has served a petition to the municipality, asking

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Marble makers from China aiming to take part in Highlands show

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Admission is \$2 for adults and children 12 years of age and under admitted free of charge.

Marble collectors, dealers and enthusiasts from all over Canada and the United States have already booked their spaces as well as marble makers China - Mr. Yu Xim Yong and Mr. Lin Qi Hui of the Fu Zhou Wang Hui Trading Company Ltd. They create marbles from semi-precious stone. If local organizers' plans succeed, they will also have two 'torch' marble makers demonstrating how to make marbles.

Dave McCullough, vice-president of Jabo Vitro in Reno, Ohio has donated 20 cases of marbles, which is approximately 500 pounds or 40,000 marbles. Jabo Vitro is a marble-making glass company that specializes in industrial marbles and gems. They run a spring and fall classic run of glass marbles and these marbles are part of



Martha Perkins/TIMES

Grade 4 students Brittany Howe, Zach Harrison and Lucy Belli take a few practice shots with some of the 2,500 marbles which were donated to Archie Stouffer Elementary School to promote the upcoming Great Canadian Marble Show in Haliburton. Watching is one of the organizers of the first-ever Canadian marble show, Larry Hodgson of Minden.

the fall run. McCullough asked that show organizers share the marbles with the children in the schools, use them from advertising throughout the area as well as give them to any children attending the show.

Last week, show organizers Marvella Smith and Larry Hodgson donated the boxes of beautiful glass playthings

to local schools.

Archie Stouffer Elementary School Principal Rosie Kenney says they have not yet decided how to divvy up the 2,500 marbles among the students.

Other gifts include marbles from Bill Kirk, owner of Marble Mansion in Olympia, Washington; Scott Blackwell, a marble collector from Linden, Tennessee; as well as a gift of marbles from Boyce Lundstrom of Peltier Glass Company in Ottawa, Illinois. These three gifts will be given out to the children attending the show in the form of free draws.

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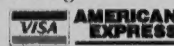
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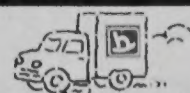
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Trail Fest marks new trail in Highlands

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

Armed with water bottles, hiking boots and an adoration for the outdoors, hiking enthusiasts gathered at the Algonquin Highlands Township office recently to unveil the newest trail in the Haliburton Highland Trails and Tours Network.

The Algonquin Highlands Ridge Trail, the first long-distance hiking trail in the Highlands, measuring in at a rugged eight kilometres, officially opened Oct. 6, marked by a short ceremony headed by president of the Network, Barrie Martin, and Reeve of Algonquin Highlands, Eleanor Harrison.

"The Trails and Tours Network is an organization dedicated to developing and promoting Haliburton County as a premiere trails and tours destination. In doing so we hope to enhance the local economy, promote and support healthy lifestyles, help sustain a healthy natural environment and instill community ownership, co-operation and pride," Martin said.

The trail opening coincided with Trail Fest, the first annual celebration of trails across five counties including city of Kawartha Lakes, Northumberland, Hastings, Peterborough and Haliburton, in an effort to bring awareness to the trails in all these areas. Activities were hosted county-wide by TTN and the Central Ontario Loop Trail (COLT).

From a walk with llamas, which started at the Nordic Inn just north of Dorset, to a horseback trail ride in Kinmount and a heritage walk in Minden, the one day of festivities drew to a close at Austin Mill Park in Kinmount with food, music and lots of games.



Allison Taylor/TIMES

Algonquin Highlands reeve Eleanor Harrison and Trails & Tours president Barrie Martin leave a permanent impression in wet concrete to mark the official opening of the Algonquin Highlands Ridge trail. Following the brief ceremony, many of those present set off to hike the eight kilometre trail which starts on North Shore Road and ends on Little Hawk Lake Road

At the Ridge Trail, both Harrison and Martin celebrated the opening of the trail by putting their feet in a slab of concrete. The molds of their shoes were made before the opening, so Harrison and Martin could easily put their footprints in the impressions already made of their feet. The concrete will be placed at the start of the trail, Martin said. It also has the name of the trail and the date of the opening.

Harrison said she was pleased with the outcome of the trail, and of the network's hard work.

"It's been a great partnership and the expertise of trails and tours has been super," she said. "I am very pleased to be here today and to see so many people ready to

go for a hike."

Martin, who said he has only hiked part of the 8 km trail, said he found it to be truly a wilderness trail, "rugged and scenic with neat natural places."

"It's called a Ridge Trail for a good reason," Martin said as the crowd of about 15 people laughed.

The trail was built on a partnership between the Township of Algonquin Highlands and the Trails and Tours Network, Martin said.

"Most of the credit goes to a dedicated group of individuals, a working committee consisting of Peter Brogden, Ray Laughlin, Maurice Smith and Pamela Marsales, who got the ball rolling and worked hard to make sure the job got done."

It was Brogden who got brain juices flowing on the issue, and who also carried through a great deal of the striking of the trail. He and his wife Margaret were traveling when the trail opened to the public.

The volunteers tromped the trail in August and have since placed blue markers along the path so hikers are able to traverse the challenging hike.

After the ceremony, a group of 10 hikers, led by Ted and Glenna Koehler, put the trail to the test from the starting point on North Shore Road to the end of the trail at Little Hawk Lake Road.

The Koehlers, who had travelled the trail once before with the Brogdens, ensured that the first five-hour official hike moved smoothly.

"The great thing about the trail is that you really can't get lost," Glenna said during the hike. "It's deep in the woods but if you get off track you can either search for the markers or just find your way back to the ridge."

A few scenic lookout spots and some interesting aspects of nature are nestled into the woods along the natural trail.

For more information on the Ridge Trail, or other trails in the Highlands call the TTN at 286-1760 or 1-800-462-7677.



Glenna Koehler and her husband Ted led the hike along the new trail



Jim Blake, Ted Koehler and Glenna Koehler with a map that outlines the route of the new Algonquin Highlands Ridge Trail

Al Bibby obituary

Popular OPP officer spent 20 years in Minden

by JERRY GROZELLE
Times staff

Al Bibby, a popular member of the Ontario Provincial Police force based in Minden for the last 20 years of his career, has died.

Al Bibby was born in Blackburn, England. He entered the police force in 1964 in Waterdown, Ontario (near Hamilton). After 10 years, he transferred to Minden, where he spent the last 20 years of his career, retiring on October 31, 1994 after 30 years on the police force.

Bibby was promoted to Detective Constable on January 1, 1990.

During his career, Bibby completed several policing courses, including Fraud Investigation, Criminal Investigations, Drug Investigator, Coach Officer and Breathalyzer Technician.

"He was unquestionably a fine man, who loved his family," said Art Goard, who worked with Bibby in Minden and is now Detachment Commander of the Grey County OPP Detachment. "He would speak with pride and affection about his daughters and grandsons."

Goard considered Bibby an exemplary officer.

"He loved his job; he enjoyed helping people; he understood that policing is an honourable profession; and he brought dignity to the policing profession. Al was an exceptional police officer," Goard said. "His investigative skills were unsurpassed and his success and relationships in the courts were excellent."

"Al doggedly held true to his beliefs in doing what was ethical. During difficult investigations Al was always conscious of the principles of humanity and he had the added ability to inject humour at the right times. He frequently had compassion for persons he had arrested, despite the fact that they had broken the law."

Retired OPP Constable Ron Buchanan remembers Bibby as a dedicated police officer who had compassion and a true

desire to help people, especially young people.

"He helped a lot of kids get back on the straight and narrow," Buchanan said. "He had a lot of friends."

Buchanan also commented that Bibby "had a great sense of humour."

Although he worked opposite shifts to Bibby, retired OPP Constable Mike Legge remembers Bibby as a "good neighbour and a good cop."

Legge said Bibby was sensitive and very young people oriented. "He worked well with the public."

Al Bibby is survived by his daughter Jane and her husband Kelly Young of Fergus and their two sons Matthew and Joshua, and his daughter Lynn and her husband Brian Smith, also of Fergus.

After retirement, Bibby moved to Fergus to be near his daughters and grandsons.



That sinking feeling:

A 2001 Volkswagen Jetta diesel had to be retrieved from the depths of Black Lake October 6 when it rolled down the public ramp and into the lake. The car floated for 40 minutes before sinking in 25 feet of water about 100 feet from shore. Tony Aymong of The Diving Company assisted Minden towing with the retrieval of the car, which is owned by Steve Rigne of Markdale.



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Access centre gets new dollars for children and in-home respite

by SHERYL LOUCKS
Times staff

The annual baseline funding for the Community Care Access Centre for Haliburton has increased by \$206,997, making the interim executive director Fran O'Hara very happy.

The new money is part of a larger investment of \$20.4 million the Ministry of Health and Long Term Care is making in Ontario's 43 CCACs.

O'Hara says at her centre, which also services Northumberland and Victoria, the money will be primarily used for two areas, in-home respite care and therapy for children.

"In Haliburton there are 144 children receiving special services in schools, some with problems not obvious to the beholder," says O'Hara.

The CCAC contracts work out for speech therapy and occupational therapy for which there have been waiting lists. The CCAC uses the 5 Counties Children's Centre based in Peterborough. She says some children were also not receiving the follow up appointments they should have because of funding as well.

An example of the work that is being done? A child cannot sit up without getting exhausted from weak muscle structure which means they are slumping in their chairs and could be getting into trouble for not paying

attention.

In that case, O'Hara says, an occupational therapist would work with the child to help them.

There is also a high demand for the in-home respite care which, O'Hara says, is moving along and they are cutting down on waiting lists.

O'Hara explained the expanded funding base does not solve their problems but they are operating within their budgets. She is hoping to use staff and dollars creatively to make the most of the funding for the greatest benefit.

Chris Hodgson, MPP for Haliburton, Victoria and Brock, said, in a press release, that since the 94/95 year, home care funding has increased by 66 per cent in Ontario. He added he is pleased to see his riding receive a fair share of the increases and has put his trust in the local board to make the right decisions with those dollars.

The board could soon be working with another executive director while making those decisions. O'Hara was appointed as an interim director earlier in the year when the province changed management of CCACs across Ontario.

"I expect the position will be posted soon. I'm planning on going for it. I've really enjoyed the work. They need to have a proper competition though for the job so we'll have to wait and see," she says.

Jerry Crozelle/TIMES



Let's dance

Diane and Dave Dollo of Minden dance to the rousing music of the Lincolnnaires at last Saturday's gala dinner at Wigamog Inn for the Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation. The evening, which included a silent and live auction, raised more than \$12,000.

Minden's water passes the test

Testing agency suggests new equipment purchases

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

Minden's water and wastewater treatment plants are in good working order, says a member of the Ontario Clear Water Agency.

Catherine Barr, client-services representative for OCWA, made a brief presentation to Minden Hills Committee-of-the-Whole last week, to update the township on the happenings at OCWA and to make a few recommendations for capital expenditures.

Barr said the agency is on target with completing projected requests for water and wastewater treatment facilities in Minden. For example, the flushing and cleaning of both sewage stations and ensuring that alarm systems are in full working order to notify operations workers if anything in the system is out of order.

The Ontario Ministry of Environment sets and enforces regulation and standards by which all of Ontario's drinking water and wastewater must be managed. The township hires OCWA to operate, maintain and ensure that both the water and wastewater systems in the municipality meet all of the ministry's regulations.

Barr also delivered OCWA's wish list for items to be considered on the 2003 budget deliberations. Among several items, Barr requested an industrial pressure washer, to wash down pumps, etc; a transfer pump and painting the fire hydrants to make sure they meet the fire code regulations.

The wastewater treatment and sewer rehabilitation will continue into the future, an item that the township has already agreed to support for the next several years, Barr said.

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EDITORIAL COMMENT

Celebrate the season

Is it any wonder Thanksgiving is celebrated this time of year? There couldn't be a better time to give thanks for the bounty that nature provides. It's harvest time, or in many cases, the time when the harvest is prepared for the coming winter.

The produce has been harvested. Preserves are in jars ready for the months to come. Vegetables are blanched, packaged and in the freezer.

It's a time for families to gather together to enjoy the fabulous bounty of the season with the traditional Thanksgiving dinner.

Outside, the leaves are falling and the aroma of those leaves adds to the ambience of the season. The landscape is spectacular. Maple, birch and poplar leaves have turned to their fall colours of red, orange and yellow. The skies are an exceptional shade of blue at this time of year, a deeper azure that seems different from any other time. The sound of flocks of geese winging their way southward or bluejays chattering as they compete for sunflower seeds at the bird feeder are common at this time of year.

October truly is a feast for all the senses.

This time of year is also the time for the traditional harvest of wild game. Ducks, geese, ruffed grouse, rabbits, bears, moose and deer are added to the larders of many of the county's residents. Those who participate in the annual hunting seasons are participating in a tradition that predates the modern methods of processing the cuts of meat that we buy in the grocery stores.

Organically grown is the method of choice to an increasing segment of our society. People seem to care more about the quality of the food they eat. When it comes to the wild game harvest, you can't get any more organically grown than an animal or bird that has lived its life outside of any enclosure, free from feed-supplements or growth hormone injections.

Those who have never sat down to a Thanksgiving table laden with wild game are missing a treat that is considered by some to be a Canadian Heritage event.

We realize, and accept the fact that some people don't appreciate, or have a taste for, wild game. We also accept the fact that most people choose not to hunt.

Hunters respect the decision of non-hunters to buy their meat pre-packaged at the grocery store or butcher shop, or to live a vegetarian lifestyle if they so choose. What we object to is pressure from anti-hunters whose goal it is to force their beliefs on us.

It's true, in this day of the mega-farms that produce livestock by the thousands, hunting is no longer an essential way of providing sustenance.

Hunters are simply harvesting and processing their own food. Although some may find that distasteful – something they couldn't do themselves – they have to realize that in Mother Nature's scheme of life, animals provide sustenance for our nourishment. Whether they are grown on farms and processed in slaughterhouses or taken during the annual hunting season by responsible men and women who respect nature and choose to harvest and process their own, the end result is the same – food on the family's table.

There is no reason why hunters and anglers can't coexist in harmony with those who don't hunt and fish.

Here's hoping you had a safe and enjoyable Thanksgiving weekend, in the company of family and friends, with plenty to eat – whether your choice was domestic or wild.

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Cattail springing to life

Photo by DARREN LUM/The Times

TO THE EDITOR

Times readers write

Fire victim says thanks

To the Editor:

I'd like to thank the residents of Minden and area for their kindnesses regarding my fire on September 29, 2002.

Specifically, and firstly, I must mention the exceptional work, and yes, I mean work, done by the firemen of the different departments that responded so quickly. Unfortunately, not much was saved. A very few of my mother's and step-father's antiques, including my three girls' heritage, that were in the far back of two of the antique big pieces of furniture in the far living room were okay.

I must also say a specific thank you to these wonderful businesses, churches,

concerned individuals and service clubs that have come to my aid since the fire: The Community Christian Concern Centre (4Cs) for its contribution; I.D.A. Drug Store in Minden for its gracious donation; I.G.A., Minden for donating food during this very hectic time; also to Coneybeare's Butcher Shop; John at V & S for his kind and thoughtful gift; T.D. Canada Trust for its assistance; Don Finn for his time, expertise and gracious help; Minden and District Lions Club for its donation; Ray Moore; Murray _____; and a special thank you to Bess and Doug.

Paul Dawson,
Minden

IN OTHER WORDS

Columnists and Letters to the Editor

Zookeepers get hungry too

I guess the first clues should have been the barbecue utensils in the staff lounge and mint jelly in the lunchroom fridge. Maybe the fact that the suspects kept salivating during police questioning might have tipped the scales too. Who knows?

Whatever the case, investigators have finally solved the mystery of the five Tibetan mountain chickens and two Cameroonian sheep that went missing from a petting zoo in a small German town. I think we can all sleep a little better now.

It was the zookeepers. Yup, the two employees acquired a taste for mountain chicken and mutton somewhere along the line. Apparently, they had their eye on the hippo too. Luckily, they couldn't find a big enough roasting pan. Good thing too, I heard it tastes like Tibetan mountain chicken.

And while I'm not at all against being a carnivore, I will admit that these two fellows probably went a bit too far here. I

mean, if I'm not mistaken, the purpose of a zoo is to preserve animals for others to view. Unless, they were showing off their picnic lunches, I doubt that this was even attempted.

Of course I won't deny that the temptation was probably incredible, what with all those tasty exotic birds and wild meats just sitting around getting fat and tender each and every working day. And, let's face it, a person gets tired of fast food. Freshness is where it's at. It was undoubtedly more than a hungry zookeeper could take. In a sense, they were the real victims.

But, having said that, let's note that this was avoidable. There were subtle clues leading up to this tragedy. In hindsight, the cooking instructions posted next to the elk pen, for instance, should not have

been ignored.

Maybe it's only fair though. It used to be that the zookeepers were at risk any time they entered a cage. Now, I bet those lions and polar bears think twice.

Yet, I suppose it was a wake up call for zoo owners everywhere. This sort of employee pilfering can be costly. Now, I suppose they'll be watching all their workers a little more carefully. And their animals too. A three-legged giraffe, for instance, might be cause for concern. So might an employee who spends his break time reading wild game cookbooks.

Because of this, staff will be addressed a little more suspiciously. "Jim, haven't you put on weight and, by the way, any idea where the pot-bellied pig has gotten to?" That sort of thing. Subtle, real subtle.



BEYOND 35

Steve Galea

The circle game

I don't suppose I'll ever be interviewed by the National Enquirer. Too supernaturally deprived. I have never talked to an extraterrestrial, been kidnapped by aliens, or marveled at strange and inexplicable spacecraft streaking across the sky.

But I have seen crop circles. In a farmer's field near Vanderhoof, a small town in the B.C. interior.

They were crop circles, alright. A good hundred feet in diameter. No sign of footprints, tire tracks or mechanical interference – just a series of circular depressions in which the wheat stalks had all been flattened in the same direction, as if by a giant steam iron.

What was it – a message from E.T.?

Not necessarily. Crop circles are a misnomer for the phenomena that appear to paralyze Mel Gibson in the movie Signs. A better name would be Crock Circles.

They first gained public attention back in the 1960's, when farmers in the south of England began to notice strange areas of flattened grain in their fields. The fact that these fields were not far from the ancient Druid site of Stonehenge jacked up the Twilight Zone factor right from the get-go. Before long the circles were appearing in grain fields in continental Europe, then in Japan, Canada and the U.S.

They all shared some common characteristics: the circles were big, of varying

complexity, with no sign of human participation. And they always appeared overnight.

Theories were legion. Scientific types reckoned they were caused by rogue windstorms. Or maybe a plasma vortex of electronic force fields. Or perhaps geomagnetic currents from deep inside the earth were responsible. More mystical observers saw them as calling cards from aliens eager to communicate with earthlings.

Actually, what it was, was Doug and Dave.

Doug Bower and Dave Chorley, two good old boys who liked to knock back a few brews during an evening in a pub in Wiltshire, not far from Stonehenge. One Friday night back in 1978, after last call, Doug and Dave decided to have a bit of fun. They grabbed some rope and a few planks and headed out to a nearby farm. The next morning, a Wiltshire farmer was scratching his head and wondering what the hell had happened to his barley crop overnight.

For the next dozen years, Doug and Dave spent a couple of nights each week

visiting farmers' fields under cover of darkness. They reckon that between 1978 and 1991 they created over 1,000 crop circles in the Stonehenge area.

A British newspaper reporter said "Not so fast" and challenged the two to prove their story. They took the reporter out with them the following night. She watched as they tiptoed into a field between the plants and set up a pole with a string attached to the top. Then they grabbed the opposite end of the rope and began walking – hey, presto – a crop circle. Then they used the wooden planks to flatten the grain within the perimeter they'd created.

It looked good, but the reporter still wasn't convinced. The following day, she brought in one of Britain's top crop circle researchers and asked him whether he thought the creation was authentic. The expert's assessment? "No human being could have done this. These crops are laid down in these sensational patterns by an energy that remains unexplained and is of a high level of intelligence."

So, are Doug and Dave responsible for

the thousands of crop circles that have appeared from Valladolid to Vanderhoof? Of course not. But 90 per cent of all reported crop circles in the world have appeared within 50 miles of Stonehenge. As for the ones Doug and Dave didn't do, the experts chalk them up to copycats.

Which experts? Carl Sagan, for one. The famous U.S. astronomer (and tireless searcher for extraterrestrial life) concluded years ago that crop circles were an utter hoax. And the Committee for the Scientific Investigation of Claims of the Paranormal reports: "Approximately 100 per cent of crop circles are man-made. We say approximately because we have to allow for dogs chasing their tales and other phenomena."

As for my Vanderhoof crop circles – they looked authentic to me, but I'm not an expert in the field. I do know a thing or two about human nature, though – and there was something a little 'off' about the guy I talked to who reported the find. Nothing big – just a little sideways sashay of the eyeballs as he talked with a credulous gaggle of reporters about how 'shocked and amazed' he was by his discovery.

He was saying all the right words, but he struck me as a guy with a great story he couldn't wait to spill down at the local pub.



ARTHUR BLACK

Columnist

Community supports strangers

To the Editor:

While visiting Minden in September, my family experienced the nightmare of an accident and a medical emergency at the same time. We send our heartfelt gratitude to all those in Minden who helped us during this stressful incident. You all acted with amazing compassion and support as you took time out of your busy lives to help strangers in your community.

While attempting to cross the street near the downtown bridge, our son was struck by a car. Fortunately, the vehicle was traveling slowly and Kyle received very minor injuries. Our thoughts go out to the driver and pas-

senger who also experienced a shock and stayed at the scene until all was settled. I think our guardian angels were working overtime!

Immediately following the accident, Kyle's grandfather fainted and required medical attention due to complications from his diabetes. Both patients received excellent care in your hospital and we thank Dr. John Lingertat for his skills, attentiveness and friendly but stern safety reminder.

Thanks to all of you – those who called an ambulance for us, the woman who ran for ginger ale to revive my father-in-law, the man who helped him into the car, Dr. Wu, who happened on the scene and Sergeant Phil

Bronson – both of whom were thorough, kind and also went over the safety rules with Kyle – and everyone who lent support until authorities arrived and everyone was looked after. We will never forget your kindness.

Despite the way our Saturday turned out, we managed to fit in many enjoyable moments in your area and will certainly return – always looking both ways before crossing the street!

Yours sincerely,

Lynn van Dillen

James and Kyle van Dillen

Jan and Mary van Dillen

Farmers worry about flow of grant money

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they received their share from the government.

Farmers in the county recently met at the Minden Community Centre to talk about the grant program from the Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Rural Affairs. A four-year initiative, the program, among other things, helps to improve rural water quality.

Recently, \$190,050 was allocated to three municipalities who jointly applied for the program: Minden Hills, Dysart et al and Highlands East. Minden Hills assumed organizational control.

The township of Algonquin Highlands applied for the same grant on its own, receiving funding worth \$112,000. However, the townships are considering putting the two grant programs under the direction of one administrator.

The grant, aimed specifically at rural farmers, would help offset such things as nutrient planting, chemical fuel storage and manure drainage. The province would pay 50 per cent towards a project that met specific criteria established by the province; the farmer would have to foot the bill for the other 50 per cent.

"I'm looking at doing at least three projects," said a local farmer. "I live pretty much hand to mouth right now as it is; if I have to front \$8,000 I want to know how quickly the government will be able to turn around my share of the cash."

In order to complete a project, an individual must submit an application to a committee comprised of local individuals. If the project meets criteria, then the individual may proceed and submit their receipts to the government for compensation — a method that many farmers said wouldn't fly.

The meeting was held, in part, to inform local farmers of the program and also to find out how many farmers would be interested in participating.

While 13 out of 18 farmers in the room said there were projects they would like to apply for, the cash flow issue was still the main hang up holding them back.

Minden Hills Deputy-Reeve Jim McMahon asked if the municipality was supposed to act as the banker and reimburse the money.

"This is part of the program that needs to be discussed," said Peter Rigby, who formulated the application for the tri-municipalities and has since submitted a proposal to act as administrator. "We aren't sure how this will take place or if the municipality is prepared to front these dollars to ensure the money ends up in the farmers' hand in a reasonable time."

Rigby was compiling a list of questions that needed to be straightened out; cash flow was a priority on his list.

Bill Olan, program administrator for the Healthy Futures Program underway in the City of Kawartha Lakes, shared his experience with the program. He said Kawartha Lakes did not have anything to do with the banking of the grant. Minden Hills Reeve Ross Rigney agreed with this method.

"We don't want to be involved with the financial aspect," Rigney said at a recent meeting of Minden Hills council.

Councillor Bill Obee said the money has to go through a bank account and the committee set up to oversee the applications for the grant does not have access to any financial accounts.

"As farmers we shouldn't expect the municipality to front all the money," said the president of the farmers' association, Casey Cox.

Tammy McKelvey, Dysart et al's CAO, said her council has not yet discussed how to address the funding issue.

Money aside, there have been a few contentious issues that have already arisen. Minden Hills councillors accused the Rigney of not following policy and proper



Allison Taylor/TIMES

Ross Warburton and Casey Cox of the Haliburton County Farmers Association say that anyone applying for the grant money should have to complete an environmental plan first.

procedure by electing to hire his friend Rigby to act as administrator of the fund, without going through the tendering process or asking for council's approval.

Councillors accused the reeve of forwarding Rigby's resume to the two other municipalities involved in the grant program before allowing the resume to cross Minden Hills council.

Rigney has said that he had no intention of hiring Rigby without consulting with council and that his council did not know all of the issues before pointing their fingers at him.

Another heated issue is how the two grants, the tri-municipal funding and the Algonquin Highlands grant, will be administered. Should they all fall under one program?

Highlands East recently withdrew from the application for the tri-municipality, and no longer wants to act as a partner.

On top of everything else, farmers in the county want to make sure the money goes to agricultural areas in the Highlands and doesn't end up in the hands of residents who don't own farms.

Several sections in the program could potentially be open to any resident in the

county, Rigby said.

Cox and Warburton were vocally against opening the purse to the entire county.

"They could use all that money and farmers could not get a cent of it," Cox said of the first-come/ first-served philosophy.

Olan said the farmers should build a solid base of support and not worry about how much money the farmers would end up with. "Don't fragment yourselves," he said. "Fighting within yourselves will not build a darn thing."

As representatives of the farmer's association, both Cox and Warburton wanted to make sure that any farmer applying for the grant funding has completed an environmental plan for their farm. Having the plan was a condition on the application for Algonquin Highlands, but Warburton said he wanted it added as a condition to the joint municipal application as well.

The two also wanted to ensure that at least two farmers sit on the committee which will oversee each application.

McMahon said the municipalities have yet to decide how to move forward, but Minden Hills council was not opposed to having two farmers on the committee.

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That year there were 185 members.

ATVS not yet allowed on roads

OPP says many people confused about rules since provincial bill not yet passed

Haliburton Highlands O.P.P. officers have noticed a recent trend where misinformation about the operation of all terrain vehicles on highways has been circulated.

Bill 11, the Red Tape Reduction Act 1999, received royal assent in December of 1999. That bill contains changes that will increase access to roadways by all terrain vehicles; however these proposed changes have not yet been proclaimed into law. No doubt this is the source of the confusion for some.

Some ATV owners appear to be under the impression they can start riding on the roadways now. The simple answer is no they can't. The following response to a few commonly asked questions will hopefully assist area ATV owners and operators to understand the current situation.

What is Bill 11?

It is an Ontario government bill known as the Red Tape Reduction Act 1999. A portion of that bill will authorize municipalities to pass by-laws to permit ATV use on selected roads and highways under their jurisdiction. This will assist in linking trails and allow access to amenities such as fuel, food and lodging.

Can I drive my all terrain vehicle on the road now?

No, because although Bill 11 achieved royal assent in December 1999 it is not yet law. The Ministry of Transportation is reviewing the changes that will affect ATV usage on roadways. Regulations dealing with rules of the road, vehicle requirements, driver requirements and other matters must be in place before any use of all terrain vehicles on highways becomes lawful.



ATV enthusiasts are eager for the law to pass allowing them to travel from trail to trail along public roadways, but that hasn't happened yet.

I can't drive my ATV on a highway! What about other roads?

The term highway has always been a source of confusion for the general public who associates it with a major provincial thoroughfare. Simply put, the term highway includes all roads used by the motoring public, paved or gravel, regardless of the jurisdiction. It also includes the entirety of the public land associated to the roadway. For example in a downtown core, "storefront to storefront", and in a rural area, "fence line to fence line".

Does my off-road vehicle plate give me authority to drive on any road?

That plate is currently not recognized as plate for the purposes of the highway Traffic Act. Although it assists with identification, it is as if you are driving a motor vehicle on a roadway without a permit or plates.

It is understandable why owners of all terrain vehicles are anxious to see changes in the law that will allow them better access to selected public roads, but until those proposed changes become law, it is status quo.

Essentially, driving an all terrain vehicle on a roadway now would be no different then operating an unregistered, unlicensed car on public roads. To make matters worse, an all terrain vehicle is currently viewed as a motor vehicle under the Highway Traffic Act. Therefore, unlike a motorcycle, it requires the same equipment as a light truck or car.

Bottom line is that registration, insurance and equipment charges could keep an officer busy for some time. The civil ramifications if you are involved in a collision are a whole other area.

Minden Hills says problem with bylaw is enforcement

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for the noisy cottagers to be charged, but the noise still continues, especially on long weekends.

Right now the township doesn't have a bylaw for noise, says Chief Building Official Fraser MacDonald.

The biggest issue is enforcement.

"The Ontario Provincial Police have been involved in the past. They go out to houses but generally people calling to complain of the noise are unsatisfied with what the police said," MacDonald has said. "Because there isn't a bylaw, there isn't much they can do."

MacDonald says the OPP have been charging people under the Criminal Code of Canada, but they have a difficult time proving the charge in court. The Code charge deals mainly with noise as it pertains to rioters and strikers and not for people at the cottage playing loud music all hours of the night.

"It has to be a bylaw that can stand up in court," MacDonald says.

In the past, MacDonald says, the OPP have worked with the township. He says they would attend to the noise complaints and then report back to the bylaw office as soon as possible.

"The officer would stand up in court as witnesses," he said.

MacDonald said he was having trouble finding a bylaw that has actually stood up in court, and hasn't been thrown out by a judge in the past.

The township has raised the noise bylaw issue in the past, but has yet to make inroads on the establishment of a bylaw.

Rohatynski said it was time for some action and asked what the township could do for him and his neighbours.

"It's our intention to bring in a noise bylaw," said Reeve Ross Rigney. "However, having said that, it has to be a bylaw that's enforceable. It might take a little time, but that's the direction this council is going."

Deputy-Clerk Twyla Nicholson, who is acting as chief administrative officer in the absence of Jerry Morrison, said that it was her understanding that a draft version of the bylaw might be ready for the November Committee-of-the-Whole meeting.

"Maybe we should form a committee and between the two forces of the OPP and the township, we can get a bylaw drawn up," suggested Councillor Rob Buchanan.

The township asked staff to invite representatives from the OPP to a future council meeting, to try to come to terms with the noise issue in the municipality.



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High single (handicap): John Whitty 276; Mona Benn 260

High triple: Jerry Warren 648; Mona Benn 623

High triple (handicap): Fred Phipps 792; Betty Trapp 762

Thursday Afternoon League

(October 10)

High average: Jack Burtch 207; Josie Cheesman 194

High single: Jack Burtch 240; Lil Allen 215

High single (handicap): Syd Lockhart/Leroy Eager 253; Pearl Foster 281

High triple: Jack Burtch 622; Josie Cheesman 584

High triple (handicap): Syd Lockhart 725; Lil Allen 738

Minden bowling scores:

Thursday Afternoon Seniors' League

High average: Jim Cummings 240; Mona Benn 194

High single: Walter Stegmaier 295; Lyn Preston 227

High single (handicap): Eddie Dykstra 303; Lyn Preston 278

High triple: Eddie Dykstra 738; Mona Benn 628

High triple (handicap): Eddie Dykstra 804; Mona Benn 712

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High single: John Ritchie 223; Ann Oakley 170

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High triple: Bob Vankoughnet 564; Beryl Hannington 468

High triple (handicap): John Ritchie 717; Beryl Hannington 666



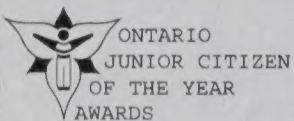
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Sr. Field Hockey team earns two wins at home against Tass girls

Above, Kerri Matysek breaks away from TASS defenders as she leads the offensive rush for the Red Hawks in the second of two home games on Thursday, Oct. 10. Red Hawks came away with a 3-1 win against TASS and a 2-0 win against St. Peters. Matysek earned three goals and an assist on the day.

At left, Abbey Hagerman seemingly floats above the ground as she battles a Thomas A. Stewart player for a loose ball in the offensive zone. Red Hawks won 3-1 with goals from Kerri Matysek, Meghan and Cassie Kulas.



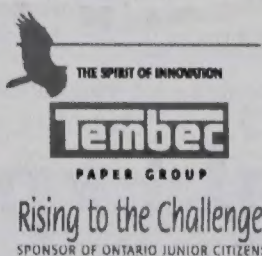
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Jr. Red Hawks win two in a row

It was back to back wins for the Junior Red Hawks after defeating the third place team from TASS by a score of 21-9 last week in Peterborough, and by powering through Kenner Collegiate on Thursday 36-18.

Both games were led by captains Matt Roberts, Adam Trueman, Dave Balaski and Wayne Shelley.

Rookie Jesse Johnson has started his career with two wins as injured Justin Abbs has had to watch from the sidelines.

Tight end Deni Knezevic, Flanker Tim Pettit, slotback Dave McGlade and fullback Kevin Crofts were "huge" on the field while the defence played strong, tough Red Hawk football, led by Charles Taylor, Conrad Flatman, Aaron Donaldson, Jamie Timbers and Kenton McGann.



Playing tight: Junior Connor Horvath leaps up to foil a pass reception in a game with Kenner.



The Junior Redhawks line up over the ball in a home game against Kenner Collegiate on Thursday. The Juniors are doing well, winning two in a row over Peterborough teams

Sr. Red Hawks footballers struggle in second half, lose to Kenner

by JERRY GROZELLE
Times staff

Going into the second half with a 7-0 lead, the Haliburton Highlands Secondary School Senior Red Hawks were confident they could beat football rivals the Kenner Rams of Peterborough. The game was on Red Hawk home turf and the Hawks were eager to put one in the wins column in front of the hometown crowd.

It wasn't to be on this day.

"I don't know if they just ran out of gas or what," said coach Tim Davies. "We pretty much had control of the game in the first half."

Davies said the offensive standout of the game was tail-

back Kevin Walker. He scored the Red Hawks touchdown on an off-tackle running play. Matt King kicked the convert.

Defensively, middle linebacker Joel Johnson played a strong game.

"We were fairly confident at half time that we could pull it out," Davies said.

The Red Hawks lost the game 19-7. They will have a chance to rack up a win when they tangle with the Falcons this Friday in Fenelon Falls.

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A Highland Storm Atom forward cuts around the defence for a clear break on the goalie in last week's game in Minden. The Storm had many opportunities against their outmatched opponent.

Darren Lum/TIMES

Storm flattens Fenelon Falls

The Highland Storm Atom team continued its winning streak on Tuesday, October 8 by destroying the Fenelon Falls Flyers by a score of 11-1.

Goalie Colby Cunningham made some amazing saves, supported by a very strong and physical defensive squad and three

lines of explosive offense.

Goals were set up and scored by all members of the team in a "heads up" display of teamwork.

The Atoms are enjoying their first year of contact and look forward to another winning season.

Snowmobile racing could be hitting Minden this winter

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

Oval snowmobile racing might be coming to Minden this winter.

Harold Foyster asked Minden Hills council for a letter of support and a financial contribution to bring the Highland Cup snowmobile sprint oval racing to Minden.

"Some people say oval racing is dying, but it's not dead yet," Foyster said. "My goal is to ensure the future of oval racing is a long and prosperous one."

Foyster, who has lived and worked in the Highlands for several years, said he was driving to work one day while trying to think of a way to attract people to the area.

"I immediately thought of this," he said.

He asked council for a letter of support to accompany a grant application.

Oval racing, Foyster said, is similar to NASCAR racing, except drivers compete on an oval course on snow and ice instead of on pavement.

The drawback is that while an event of this size is thrilling, "it does cost."

He said he contacted Tom Prentice, who agreed to build the track.

A date hasn't been set yet for the event, but Foyster said it would likely run beside the car races on ice that also take place in Minden.

"The ball is starting to roll. Right now I am seeking financial support."

While he is taking on most of the organization himself, Foyster said he is in the midst of forming a committee to help him with the other aspects.

"My sense is that if this is done right, it could turn into a huge annual event," said Reeve Ross Rigney.

"I could see this taking place of the snow dog races that used to take place in Minden," added Deputy-Reeve Jim McMahon.

Council did not say it would support the endeavour financially, but said it would reconsider the issue closer to budget time. In the meantime, council said it would write a letter supporting Foyster's endeavour.

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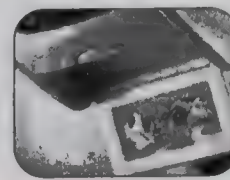
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Weight gain not automatic when butting out

Submitted by the HKPR DISTRICT HEALTH UNIT

If you are thinking about quitting smoking this year, don't let the fear of gaining weight stop you from trying.

"Quitting smoking doesn't automatically mean you will gain weight," says Anne-Marie Cyr, a Public Health Nurse with the Haliburton, Kawartha Pine Ridge District Health Unit. "Studies show the average person gains less than 10 pounds when they quit smoking, but it is also possible to quit and maintain your current weight."

The HKPR District Health Unit is encouraging smokers interested in quitting to consider entering the Quit Smoking 2002 Contest. The province-wide contest is designed to help smokers set a quit date, prepare themselves and then stop smoking by Oct. 15 for at least one month. The contest is open to Ontario residents who are daily smokers aged 19 years and older. Participants must

register by midnight October 15, quit smoking by October 15 and remain smoke-free until November 15 to be eligible to win a new Honda Civic DX-G or one of seven Samsung Digital Cameras.

Smoking raises your metabolism (nicotine can cause your heart rate to increase by as much as 33 beats a minute) and reduces the amount of oxygen in your blood. This makes your heart work harder and makes you a prime candidate for a heart attack or stroke.

One of the immediate benefits of kicking the habit, Cyr says, is that food tastes and smells better. When people gain weight after they quit, she says, it is usually because they are eating more. They replace cigarettes with food and try to quell the nicotine urge with snacks. With a little planning, Cyr says people can keep their weight under control.

"Keep your hands busy," she advises. "Doodle, write a

letter, do a crossword. When you do need to put something in your mouth, make it sugarless gum, a carrot or celery stick. Whatever you decide to do, just make sure it is not associated with your old smoking habits."

If people skip meals they may be more likely to crave nicotine and overeat later in the day, Cyr says, so they should try to eat several small meals throughout the day. As well, drinking lots of fluids will help flush the nicotine from your system. Watch out for caffeine and alcohol as they may trigger a craving for a cigarette - especially if you used to smoke when having a coffee or alcoholic drink. Caffeine can also make you more nervous and anxious, so try switching to decaffeinated versions of coffee, tea and colas.

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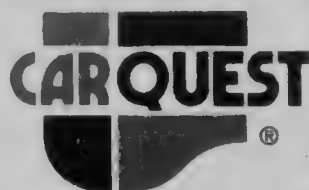
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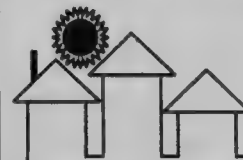


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ASES RUNNERS

More than 50 members of the Archie Stouffer Elementary School Cross Country Racing Team represented their school well at two recent cross country events in Haliburton and Lindsay. Natasha McGann finished first in her division, while Connor Duhaime was fifth and Brittany Hicks finished sixth in their respective divisions at Lindsay, competing against an average of 125 racers in each event. Coaches Mike Darlington, Ann MacDonald, Brenda Brouwers, Sara Smillie and Dianne Hagerman were justifiably proud of the athletes.

In these photos from the Haliburton event at right, Natasha McGann finishes strong with fellow ASES teammates running beside her on the final stretch of the 4 km senior race. McGann finished second with Brittany Hicks following in third. Some runners were more relaxed than others such as ASES athlete, Michael Walli, who's making his way up the first hill of the course set around JDHES.

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Sheryl Loucks/TIMES



Jesse Dickson hit and run

OPP appeals for help after teen's death

The Haliburton Highlands OPP detachment is hoping someone will be able to provide that one tip that will help solve the hit and run that claimed the life of 17-year-old Jesse Dickson.

The accident occurred on Sunday, September 15 between 2:30 and 3:20 a.m. on Haliburton County Road 14 about 1.6 kilometres north of Parsons Road.

Police say the victim, who lived in Toronto, had been out with friends the evening of Saturday, September 14. He was dropped off at the Eagle Lake Food Town store between 1 and 1:30 a.m. He proceeded to hitch-hike northbound on County Road 14, heading for his family cottage on Haliburton Lake.

Police have learned that Dickson was picked up by a

passing motorist at about 2 a.m. and dropped off at Parsons Road and County Road 14. He was seen walking northbound on County Road 14 at about 2:30 a.m. by a passing motorist.

Forty-five to 50 minutes later, he was found on the northbound lane of Parsons Road by a passing motorist.

An autopsy revealed that Dickson died as a result of blunt force trauma, consistent with being struck by a motor vehicle. Forensic results are being processed and officers are waiting for those results, which will aid in their investigation.

Dickson, a white male with short brown hair and a slim build, was wearing a grey/navy hooded sweatshirt and baggy blue jeans.

He spent part of his youth in Haliburton, attending J. Douglas Hodgson Elementary School, before moving to Toronto to attend high school. An avid snowboarder, he retained many friends in the Highlands, especially in the Eagle Lake area.

Police are appealing to the public for assistance in solving this case. Anyone with information is asked to call the Haliburton Highlands detachment of the OPP at 705-286-1431. Anyone who has information but prefers not to reveal his or her name can call Crimestoppers at 1-800-222-TIPS (8477).

Police are also appealing to those persons involved in this hit and run to turn themselves in to the Haliburton Highlands OPP or their local police.

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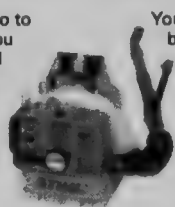
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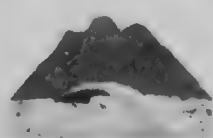


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2. File No. SRA-01-66
Applicant – **FRANCES AND GORDON JEWETT**
Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Gull Lake, lying in front of Lot 11, Concession 12, geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 1 and 2 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7389, registered August 22, 2002.
3. File No. SRA-02-03
Applicant – **FRANCES AND GORDON JEWETT**
Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Gull Lake, lying in front of Lot 11, Concession 12, geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 4 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7389, registered August 22, 2002.
4. File No. SRA-02-04
Applicant – **FRANCES AND GORDON JEWETT**
Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Gull Lake, lying in front of Lot 11, Concession 12, geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 3 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7389, registered August 22, 2002.
5. File No. SRA-01-23
Applicant – **PAT McCAREY**
Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Horseshoe Lake, lying in front of Lot 15, Concession 7, geographic Township of Minden, designated as Part 1 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7355, registered July 18, 2002.
6. File No. SRA-01-57
Applicant – **SANDRA SAINSBURY**
Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Gull Lake, lying in front of Lot 8, Concession 13, geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 3 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7376, registered July 30, 2002.
7. File No. SRA-02-59
Applicant – **MARY BARRETT**
Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Gull Lake, lying in front of Lot 8, Concession 13, geographic Township of Lutterworth, designated as Part 2 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7376, registered July 30, 2002.
8. File No. SRA-02-07
Applicant – **DIANA CLIFFORD**
Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Canning Lake, lying in front of Lot 13, Concession 14, geographic Township of Snowdon, designated as Part 3 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7361, registered July 19, 2002.
9. File No. SRA-02-08
Applicant – **NELSON CLIFFORD**
Part of the original shore road allowance along the shore of Canning Lake, lying in front of Lot 13, Concession 14, geographic Township of Snowdon, designated as Part 2 on a Plan of Survey 19R-7361, registered July 19, 2002.

The above noted plans of survey are available for inspection in the former Lutterworth Municipal Office, Hwy. #35 South of Minden, Ontario during regular office hours.

AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that before passing the said by-laws at the meeting to be held at the time and place above-mentioned, the Council shall then and there, hear in person or by his or her counsel, solicitor or agent, any person who claims that his or her land will be prejudicially affected by the said by-laws and who applies to be heard.

DATED AT THE Township of Minden Hills, this 30th day of September, 2002.

Brendan Bérubé
Planning Administrator



Newmarket resident Richard Metcalfe took advantage of the Fall Colour Fly-In at the Stanhope Airport to refuel his plane, and to break for lunch. Better weather conditions on October 6 made the last day of the event the busiest day of the weekend fly-in, said Airport Manager John Packer.

Fall colours reach peak for fly-in

by ALLISON TAYLOR
Times staff

More than 65 aircraft from all over Ontario landed at the Stanhope Airport Oct. 6, as part of the annual Fall Colours Fly-In.

"It was like a parking lot here," said Airport Manager John Packer just after the peak of the fly-ins landed and took off Sunday afternoon.

The fly-in lasted all weekend long, but the majority of pilots stopped in at the airport at the end of the weekend.

Richard Metcalfe from Newmarket flew into the Highlands for lunch and a

fuel stop, as he injected 18 gallons of fuel into each wing of his airplane.

"It's just a beautiful day for a flight," he said, as he switched sides of his airplane.

Angela Sisson, who helped to organize the food for the fly-in, said the airport served more than 400 meals throughout the weekend.

A highlight of the two-day event for many airplane enthusiasts was the bright yellow, WWII trainer owned by Hannu Halminen. Packer also said that a crew of people from St. Thomas camped in the Highlands over the weekend, just as they do every year.



Five-year-old Danny was all smiles as he stands with Chris and Laurel after checking out a yellow WWII Trainer on October 6 at the Stanhope Airport during the fly-in.

Darren Lum/TIMES

**All smiles:**

Darian Berg, 2, smiles after eating the annual CHACE Thanksgiving lunch that has been provided for local children for more than 15 years. In the back, Cheryl Smith, a CHACE private home daycare coordinator, tops off the pumpkin tarts with whipped cream that was made by the 13 participating children. Last week CHACE held their Thanksgiving themed week for the children with various craft projects and games geared toward the holiday.

Take a spirit walk at the Frost Centre

If you're not still scared by all the ghosts and goblins on Hallowe'en, why not take a Walk with the Spirits at the Frost Centre on November 2.

Join the Friends of the Frost Centre for Rogues and Rangers, a bewitching evening of dining, music and outdoor theatre that takes you on a magical journey through time.

It starts at 5:30 p.m. with the Bewitching Hour (otherwise known as happy hour), followed an hour later with a Friendly Feast.

At 7:30, join the Friends staff for an hour-long spooky Spirit Walk. David Archibald, a perennial favourite of the Frost Centre, will then round out the evening with a musical performance.

Tickets are \$25 for members and \$30 for non-members. For ticket information call the Friends at 705-766-1399 or e-mail fot-frost@vianet.ca or visit www.frostcentre.on.ca.

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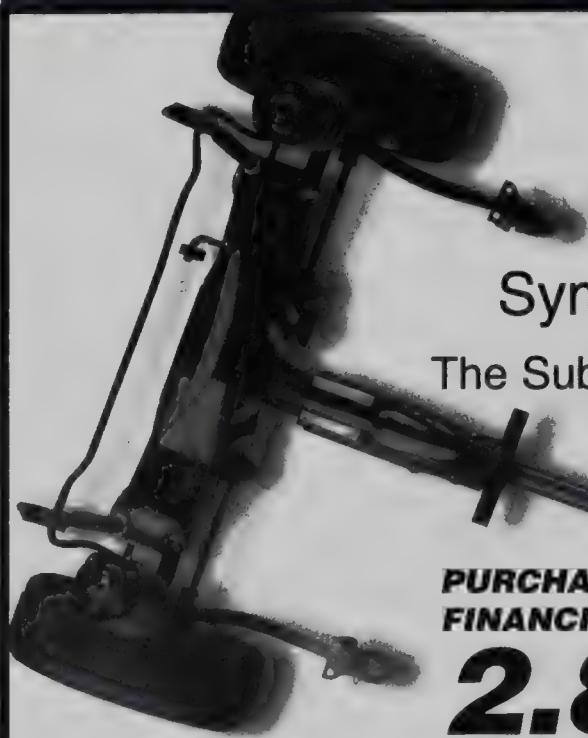
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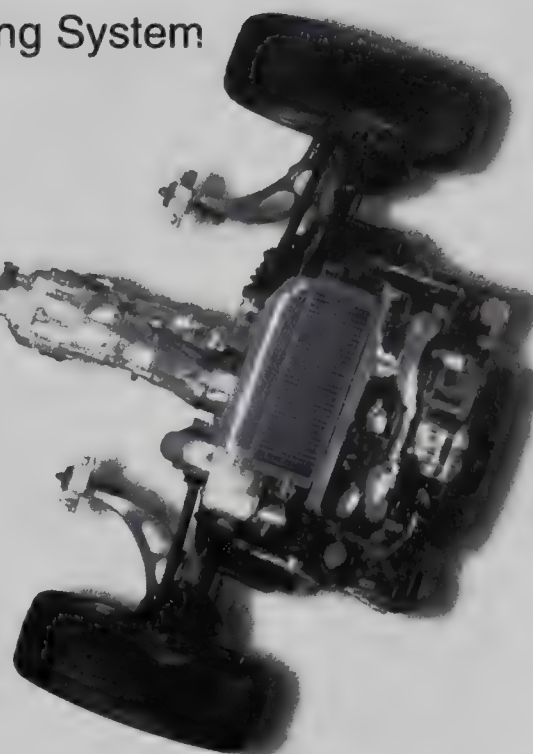
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Marjorie Ludlow Green sits on the bank of the Gull River near her home in Minden with a book she recently helped to edit. Green often sits by the water's edge with her dog to read and to enjoy the nature around them. She has been a journalist and editor for the last 15 years but says she prefers editing. Photo by Darren Lum.

A WRITER'S LIFE:

Marjorie Ludlow Green takes a bold step into the world of freelance writing and is enjoying the freedom of working for herself and being a writer/editor

by **JERRY GROZELLE**
Times staff

If variety really is the spice of life, Marjorie Ludlow Green is leading a spicier life than most. She has chosen a career as a freelance writer.

It takes some nerve, and a degree of confidence, to give up the steady income from a full-time job as an executive assistant to break into the freelance writing market. But, at an age when most people are thinking seriously about planning for retirement, Green decided to do just that.

Much of the inspiration to make such a bold move was a boss who, at the age of 62, died of cancer. "He found out he had it and died six weeks later," she said. "And it really hit us all very hard."

She said he had been contemplating taking early retirement and had been offered a package by the company. "He had this long list of things he was going to do when he retired and he didn't get the chance to do even one of them," Green said. "You know, it really smartened me up. I always wanted to be a writer, and I've always felt that I should be a writer. It's the one thing I've always been good at. When he died suddenly like that, without accomplishing all the things he wanted to, it dawned on me — I could get hit by a bus tomorrow; there's no guarantee... so I decided if I was going to be a writer, I'd better do it now."

"When that really nice man died, I went through a series of bosses after that," she said. "One was good, the next one was terrible; the next one was worse — things like that. The thing that annoyed me was I had to train these guys. I was the one who wrote the memos and did the work for them and they were going up the ladder and I was staying right where I was. It was a very bad situation for me."

However, the situation that led to Green making the ultimate

decision to pursue a different career was being saddled with a boss who was half her age and earning twice her wage. She wasn't impressed with his credentials or his ability. "Here I was, almost having to babysit him," she said. "We weren't getting along and he was being abusive. And I thought, 'I'm not going into the second half of my life making other people look good.' Sooner or later it had to be my turn and this was it."

That's when Green decided to do jump into the business of freelance writing with both feet. "And I never looked back," she said. "It hasn't always been rosy, but I've never regretted that move."

That was 14 years ago. Since then, Green has sold her writing to numerous clients in newspapers, magazines and a variety of other media.

Bold step

"Working from home was a hard routine to get into," Green admits. "But I've found I like working in my jammies early in the morning."

In retrospect, she said, "I think if I'd really known what I was doing, I probably would not have done it because I was not that brave a person. I've become that brave a person. It's funny how these things embolden you. At the time it was really a very big step."

"The odd thing was I found out that I really had more talent than I'd realized," she said. "It really did come naturally to me. I just seemed to do the right things. The other thing is that I had the maturity that the kids coming right out of school didn't have."

Track record is important

Green says having a track record, in most cases, is more important than the university education. "The first thing

they ask you when you go for a job is 'what is your track record,'" she said. "It's not like any other profession I've seen, where you can take a course, go all through university or college and come out the other end with a piece of paper and walk into an entry level position. You still have to have that track record, so you have to start writing early and not leave it until you get into college or university, which is what so many of them do. They decide they are going to be journalists and they don't understand the need for writing experience, and of course, nobody bothers to tell them."

Green strongly recommends to anyone who is considering writing as a profession to start as early as possible. "Keep writing and sell your stuff," she urges. "I tell kids to send it out; try to sell it now; develop a track record."

Green said university doesn't teach freelancers how to market their work. "They don't teach them how to earn a living doing it. They don't teach them all the jungle warfare that you have to learn. They don't teach them any street smarts," she said. "How to be a freelancer is what they don't teach them. They train them for community newspapers, where jobs are scarce."

Although she has worked for a community newspaper, it's not her first choice of work. "I never wanted that full-time job," she said. "I didn't want to chase the fire department down the street and I didn't want to sit through council meetings. I always wanted to be a freelancer."

She has ghost-written books, edited a community newspaper for a while and taught writing courses, among other things. This year was the third time she was a runner-up in the Sunday Star Short Story Contest.

One of the more interesting jobs she has done was

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speech writing for an executive of an oil company in Saudi Arabia. She was actually a ghost writer for the speeches. The twin brother of the executive's assistant was someone Green knew. Through the brother, an arrangement was made, and for a fee, she wrote speeches which were delivered half way around the world. Her client was just a voice on the telephone or a name on an e-mail. To Green's knowledge, the oil company executive never knew it wasn't his assistant who wrote the speeches.

Settling in

She said she is still settling in as a full-time resident of the area. It has only been three months since she and her husband Geoff moved to Minden from Oshawa.

But they have had a connection to this part of Haliburton County for many years, with a family cottage on Big Bob Lake. They still have the cottage, which she says is "seven minutes down the road" from their home in Minden.

"It's always been my favourite place to write," she said. "I still have my den there, but it's a lot closer now."

When she has settled in Minden, Green plans to get back into freelance writing after taking the summer and part of the autumn off.

"What I really enjoy doing is working with individual authors on their books. I have several authors I work with and I plan to continue, even though I'm up here now. It really doesn't matter, we always did everything by e-mail and (regular) mail anyway.

"I stumbled into it when I became writer in residence at the Canadian Authors' Association," she said. "I was working with authors who had some talent, but really didn't know what to do with it."

She says she has never met a writer who didn't have a book in mind. She thinks everyone would like to be a fiction writer. "I deal quite often with people who have written a book without even having any idea what they were doing. Some of them

can be surprisingly good," she said.

In those cases, Green works with them to turn their work into something that can be published.

Enjoys working with seniors

She said she especially enjoys working with seniors. And now that she has recently become a senior herself (she turned 65 in June), the idea of working with her generation is even more appealing. With that in mind, she plans to test the waters to see if there is enough interest to start a writers' group for seniors.

"Writers often don't recognize the fact that they are writers," she said. "They seem to think they have to pass some kind of test or study something or get some kind of degree to be a writer. But you don't have to do any of that."

Plans for the next few months in Minden are starting to take shape.

"I'm really not a winter person and I can't imagine going through the winter without getting some kind of group going," Green said. "I guess the first thing I need to figure out is where." Over the next few weeks, Green will be looking for a venue to get a writers' group started. She has been instrumental in starting similar groups, one of which is in Oshawa. The Writers Circle of Durham Region has grown to an active membership of about 300. It includes editors as well as writers.

Green has started working on an anthology of work by seniors. It is a project she intends to eventually have published.

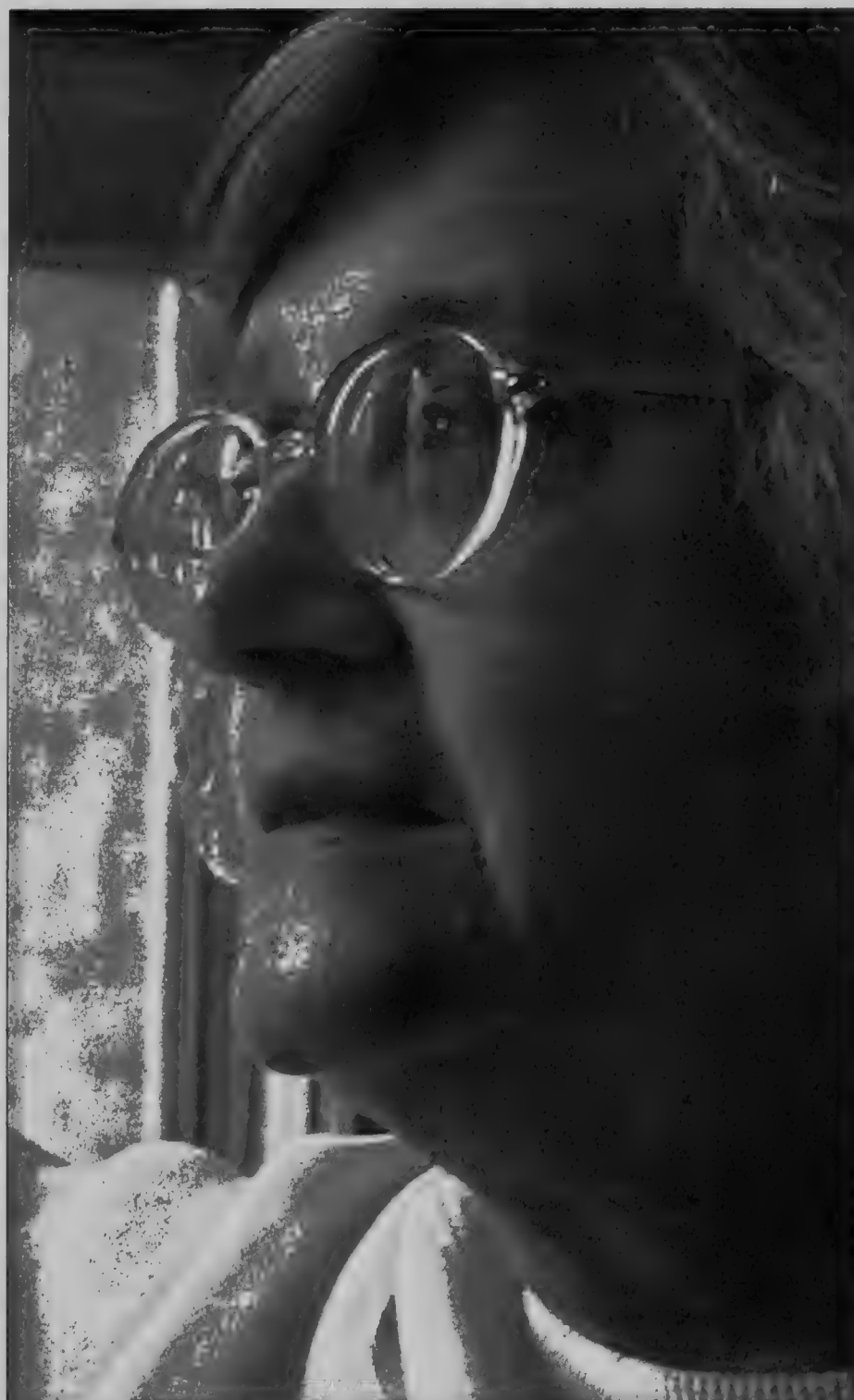
Identity

Green said women lose some of their identity when they marry and take their husband's last name.

"I call myself Marjorie Ludlow Green so all those people I went to school with will know I amounted to something," she said. "Otherwise, they would never know who Marjorie Green is."

Green is convinced that most writers are introverts, but at the same time, she says most big name writers are willing to share their knowledge. All you have to do is

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Marjorie Ludlow Green reflects on a day's work from her home in Minden

contact them and ask. She knows this is true from experience. She has contacted some who have been "amazingly generous" with their advice.

Market first, then write

The best tips Green can offer anyone who is interested in freelance writing is, "just do it – the sooner the better. Never stop learning and improving and learn the marketing end of the business. Freelance writers are entrepreneurs. Writing is the

easy part – the marketing is the hard part."

Green says there is a buyer for almost any story idea. You just have to know who to pitch the story idea to. Since moving to Minden this summer, she and Geoff have done some major renovations to a shed on their property. She said she has half a dozen story ideas from the shed renovations alone.

Imagination and the ability to convey a story idea to the right buyer has served Marjorie Ludlow Green well.

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- 7:00 - Dinner and Awards

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Under the proud gaze of parents and relatives, and lit by the blink of camera flashes, scores of Haliburton Highlands Secondary School students received scholarships, bursaries and accolades on Saturday afternoon at the annual Honours and Awards Ceremony. Funded by generous donations from individuals and organizations across the Highlands, the HHSS scholarship fund provides a financial boost to students, with the largest sums going to top students who are continuing their education at universities and community colleges.

The awards presentations began Friday afternoon with a school assembly at which honours students were recognized. Saturday afternoon ceremonies highlighted scholarship presentations, as well as recognition of Ontario Scholars, school letter recipients and other individual achievements.

Recognition of Honour students

Note:

Grades 9, 10 & 11

A student must successfully complete eight courses with an average of 80% or more.

Grade 12, OAC or 5th Year

A student must have an average of 80% or more on the best six senior level courses taken in that year, which are not upgrades.

YEAR 1: David Balaski, Erin Beggs, Lhisha Bennett, Kathryn Berube, Mallory Bishop, Darrin Brown, Stacey Coumbs, Lesley Cox, Amanda Crego, Kate Dawson, Josh Fick, Mike Flowers, Laura Heise, Kerry Heming, Jennifer Hicks, Jenna Houghton, Robyn Ketner, Myles Nicholson, Gillian Ottley, Adam Perecko, Nicole Pockett, Laura Riley, Ryan Robinson, Anna Schleifenbaum, Julie Snell, Jamie Timbers, Adam Trueman, Hilary Wilson, Lisa Wright.

YEAR 2 - 1 Year Honours:

Jill Brown, Shannon Carr, Lynda Cheong, Danielle Clements, Nicole Hawley, Sherri Lawrence, Meghan Mair, Debbie Ray, Andy Sayers.

2 Year Honours: Tom Abel, Emily Bjelis, Sarah Britton, Sterling Crowe, Jodi Curry, Vanessa Davis, Arlen Davis-Mighton, Nicole St. Pierre, Erica Hicks, Shawn Heming, Dave Hodgson, Amber Wright, Maddie MacKenzie, Brooke Mansfield, Reuben Maughan, Alex Pawson, Brent Robitaille, Matthew Schell, Kasia Siek, Charles Taylor, Amber Wright.

YEAR 3 - 1 Year Honours:

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Students with one year of honours standing

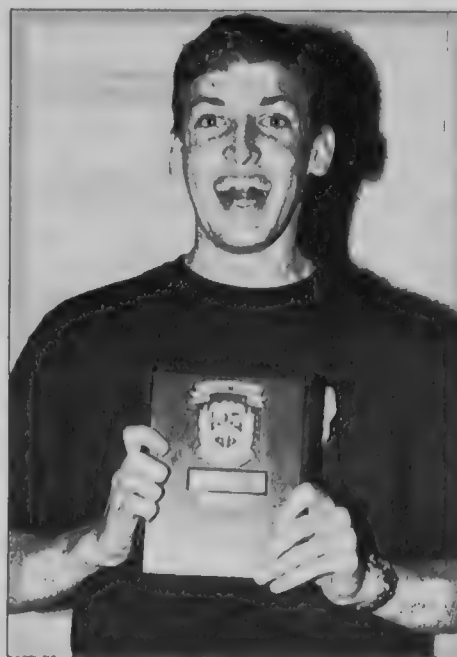
Tammy Johnston, Dan Schell

2 Year Honours: Lauren Dart, Martin Gage, Mathew Manary, Phoebe Pothaar.

3 Year Honours: Lance Aggett, Amelia Ambridge, Dennis Cox, Vanessa Eastmure, Andy Fox, Brent Heise, Norman Smith, Lindsay Mitchell, David



Year three students with one year of Honours standing



Year 3, two year honours

Morgan, Chris Postill, Sandra Riley, Jamie Sala, Janet Shim, Norman Smith, Joann Varty.

2001-2002 Honour Students

YEAR 4

1 Year Honours: Matt Brown, Danielle Casey, Terry Dawson, Shain Duda, Ashley Fearrey, Jason Hales, Sheena O'Connor, Lorena Selk, Ashley Thibadeau, Adam Tomlinson.

2 Year Honours: Nick Coty, Jackie Fountain, Jessica Jackson, A.J. Lester, Trevor Ottley.

3 Year Honours: Katie Carey, Kate Goulds, Jeremy Johnson, Hanna Kitchingman, Peter Lancia, Rachel Moffat-Hill, Casey Ogle, Andrew Sachs, Justin

Walker, Catherine Walton.

4 Year Honours: Amanda Boughner, Tori Browne, Jennifer Carpenter, Andrew Mansfield, Jen Moore, Jenn Moynes, Tanya Peacock, Lesley Pearsell, Stacey Schell, Justin Sharpley, Vanessa Smith, Alana Woodcock.

YEAR 5

1 Year Honours: Will Arnup.

3 Year Honours: Sean Carrell.

4 Year Honours: Tracy Tibbitts.

5 Year Honours: Jenna Benoit, Meredith Brown, Brian Chow, Liane Dron, Laura Kennedy, Aaron Martin, Jeff Pentney, Patti Riley, Kerry Schakelaar, Raymond Shim.

Year One and Two awards:

The Year 1 Academic French Award

Donated by Wayne Cooper for the highest mark in Year 1 Academic French Award of \$50 each.

Lhisha Bennett, 92%
Myles Nicholson, 92%

The Wendy Schell Memorial Scholarship

Donated by Mrs. Louise Cooper for the highest mark in Year 2 Applied Mathematics (MFM2P). Award of \$50

Laura Snow, 90%

The Eagle Lake Women's Scholarship for Year 2 Applied Geography.

Donated by the Eagle Lake Women's Association for the highest mark in Year 2 Applied Geography. Award of \$50.

Dave Balaski, 87%

The Eagle Lake Women's Scholarship for Year 2 Academic Geography.

Donated by the Eagle Lake Women's Association for the highest mark in Year 2 Academic Geography. Award of \$25 each.

Stacey Coumbs, 88%
Hillary Wilson, 88%

The Year 2 Academic Level French Award

Donated by Mr. Wayne Cooper for the highest mark in Year 2 Academic French Award of \$50.

Brooke Mansfield, 91%

The Archie Stouffer Memorial Scholarship

Established by Mrs. Archie Stouffer for the highest mark in Year 2 Academic Science. Award of \$100

Charles Taylor, 87%

The Archie Stouffer Memorial Scholarship.

Established by Mrs. Archie Stouffer for the highest mark in Year 2 Applied Science. Award of \$100.

Erica Hicks, 91%

The Year 2 Academic English Award

Donated by Brenda Robinson for the student with the highest mark in Year 2 Academic English. Award of \$50.

Amber Wright, 91%

Doris Cooper Scholarship

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Year two students with one year of honours standing

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Academic Mathematics. Award of \$65
Josh Fick, 90%

The Year 2 Academic Spanish Award
Donated by Cindy Mitchell for the highest mark in Year 2 Academic Spanish. Award of \$50

Jen Moore, 92%

The Year 1 Academic English Award
Donated by Brenda Robinson for the highest mark in Year 1 Academic English. Award of \$50

Myles Nicholson, 93%

The John Tait Memorial Scholarship
Established by Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Tait for the highest mark in Transportation Technology. Award of \$150.

Shawn Heming, 94%

The Loyal Orange Lodge #975 Scholarship

Established by the Loyal Orange Lodge #975 for proficiency in safety and cooperation, Year 1 Integrated Technology. Award of \$70.

Dan Risk

The Legion Ladies' Auxiliary Family Studies Award

Donated by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 for outstanding achievement in Year 2 Family Studies course. Award of \$100

Lindsay Mitchell, 97%

The Philip Payne Memorial Bursary



Year three students who achieved three years of honours standing

Established by the H.H.S.S. Students' Council for a deserving student completing Year 2.. Award of \$35 .

Debbie Ray

The Agnew's Red & White Award
Donated by Agnew's Red & White Store in Wilberforce for the highest mark in Year 1 Applied English. Award of \$50.

Nicole Armstrong, 86%

The O'Brien Family Scholarship
Established by Mr. and Mrs. Bruce O'Brien for the highest average in Year 1. Award of \$50.

Myles Nicholson, 87.75%

The Haliburton Valu-Mart Award
Donated by the Haliburton Valu-Mart Store for the highest mark in the TIK20 Computer Course. Award of \$150

Andy Sayers, 86%

The Physical Geography Award
Donated by the Wallace Family in memory of Carl Wallace, a former HHSS Geography Teacher for the highest mark in Year 1 Geography. Award of \$100

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Community Living. Award of \$50
Jasmine Prindiville

The Year 1 Drama Award
Donated by The Red Hawk Theatre Company to a student who has shown exemplary achievement in the Year 1 Drama Program. Award of \$50

Gillian Ottley

The Year 2 Drama Award
Donated by the Red hawk Theatre Company to a student who has shown exemplary achievement in the Year 2 Drama Program . Award of \$50

Emily Bjelis

The Canadian History Award
Donated by Paul and Sharon Morissette for the highest mark in the Year 1 Canadian History course. Award of \$100.

Arlen Davis-Mighton, 94%

The Emmerson Lumber Limited Award
Donated by Emmerson Lumber Limited for the highest total marks in Year 2 Technological Design. Award of \$150.

Sandra Riley, 90%

The Haliburton Legion Scholarship for Communication Technology
Donated by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 for the highest total marks in Year 2 Communication Technology. Award of \$100.

Dave Hodgson, 88%

Year Three and Four awards:

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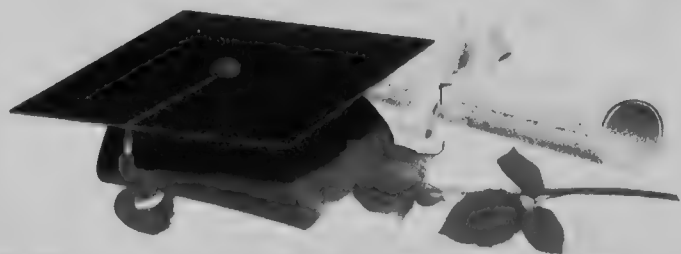
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Year One and Two award winners

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The G4 English Scholarship

Donated by Chris Duchene for the highest mark in Year 4 General English. Award of \$100

Jenn Moynes, 98%

The 3U English Scholarship

Donated by Ann Varty for the highest mark in Year 3 University English. Award of \$50

Janet Shim, 90%

The A4 English Scholarship

Donated for the highest mark in Year 4 Advanced English. Award of \$50 each.

Jennifer Carpenter, 93%

Vanessa Smith, 93%

The V & S Department Store Retail Award

Donated by Mr. Andy Glecoff for the highest mark in Grade 11 Marketing. Award of \$150

Brent Heise, 93%

The 3C English Scholarship

Donated by Ann Varty for the highest mark in Year 3 College Level English. Award of \$50

Trisha Hunter, 80%

The Sherman Taylor Environmental Award

Donated by the Property Owners' Association for a student continuing studies at H.H.S.S. who has shown leadership in environmental issues. Award of \$100.

Andrew Mansfield

The J. Douglas Hodgson Modern World History Scholarship

Established by J. Douglas Hodgson for the highest mark in the Modern World History course (HWM0A). Award of \$325

Traci Tibbitts, 92%

The Year 3 French Award

Donated by Mr. Wayne Cooper for the highest mark in Year 3 University French. Award of \$50

Sabrinna Belanger, 93%

The Mary Medley Memorial Award

Established by friends and relatives of Mary Medley for two deserving students who have shown commitment and dedication to their studies in French. Awards of \$175 each.

Travis Barton
Kate Foulds**The Travel and Tourism Course Award**

Donated by Mr. Wells Robertson for the student who has shown the most commitment and dedication to the course. Award of \$100.

Andy Fox, 92%

Wendy's Classic Achiever Scholarship

Donated by the Wendy's Scholarship Grant to a deserving student who is involved in all areas of student activities

**Year Three and Four award winners**

Donated by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 for the highest mark in Transportation Technology, Year 4. Award of \$100

Mike Hill, 93%

The Haliburton County Home Builders' Association Award

This award will be presented to a student in Year 3 Technological Design who is most improved and shows the greatest interest in a career in home building/woodworking. Award of \$50

Justin Walker
Cedric Butz**The Modern Electric Award**

Donated by the Payne and Fawcett families to a deserving student pursuing further studies in Electricity or Electronics, Year 4 General Level. Award of \$100

Not Awarded This Year

NAPA Auto Parts Award

Donated by Jim Richards of NAPA to a student in Year 4 of the Transportation Technology Program who has demonstrated a high standard of technical proficiency. Set of Auto Mechanics Tools

Dan Sully, 81%

The Haliburton Lumber Award

Donated by Haliburton Lumber and Enterprises Ltd. for the highest mark in Construction Technology, Year 4. Award of \$100.

Andy Kinsman, 94%

The Dawson Gray Scholarship

Established by Dawson Gray Chartered Accountants for the student who has the highest average in O.A.C. Accounting. Award of \$100.

Andrew Mansfield, 90%

The Aaron Mann Award

Donated by Lee Mann in memory of Aaron Mann to a deserving Grade 11 student proficient in H.T.M.L. (web page design). Award of \$200

Dan Vanier

The Joseph and Florence Dollo Memorial Bursary

within the school including SAC. Award of \$200.

Margaret Berube

The Year 3 Drama Award

Donated by The Red Hawk Theatre Company to a student who has shown exemplary achievement in the Year 3 Drama Program. Award of \$50 each,

Abby Hagerman
Amelia Ambridge**The Sid Cooper Scholarship**

Donated by Mrs. Louise Cooper in memory of Sid Cooper for the highest total mark in Year 3 Advanced Physics. Award of \$100 and name engraved on plaque.

Janet Shim, 91%

The Technical Mathematics Award

Donated by Mr. Joel Levis for the highest mark in Grade 12 Mathematics for College Technology. Award of \$100

Nick Coty, 97%

The Arts and Science Bursary

Donated by Miss Joyce Williams to a deserving student who has completed Grade 12 and is continuing with O.A.C.'s. Award of \$50.

Jackie Fountain

The Legion Ladies' Auxiliary Senior Family Studies Award

Donated by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 for outstanding achievement in Senior Family Studies. Award of \$100

Kelly Johnston, 92%

The Legal Studies Award

Donated by Mr. David Shapiera for the highest mark in the law course. Award of \$100.

Jackie Fountain, 98%

The Laidlaw Transit Limited Award

Donated by Laidlaw Transit Limited to a student demonstrating a high standard of technical proficiency in Year 4. Award of \$100

Josh Howard

The Haliburton Legion Scholarship for Transportation Technology

Established in memory of Joseph and Florence Dollo for a deserving student, not necessarily a graduate. Award of \$100.

Casey Ogle

The Rotary Club of Haliburton 50th Anniversary Award.

Donated by the Rotary Club of Haliburton for a deserving student. Award of \$200

Melanie Howitt

The C.I.B.C. Entrepreneurship Award

Established by the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, Haliburton and Minden Branches presented to two students in Grade 11 Entrepreneurship. Award of \$100 each - Best Business Plan

Holly Bishop

Casey Ogle

Award of \$100 - Second Best Business Plan

Nicole Perreault

OSSTF M. R. Herlihey Environmental Award

Donated by the OSSTF to two students who have demonstrated outstanding leadership and a positive work ethic in the 4-credit Highlands Outdoor Educational Program. Award of \$125 each.

Adam Tomlinson
Matt Gerry**Assante Financial Management Award**

The award will be presented to two students in the Grade 12 Advanced Personal Finance (BCS4A) course who achieve the highest overall marks. Award of \$100 each

Jennifer Carpenter, 94%
Peter Lancia, 94%**The Twentieth Century History Award**

Donated by Paul and Sharon Morissette for the highest mark in the Twentieth Century History Course. Award of \$50 each.

Curtis Danilko, 94%
Brian Tink, 94%**The Co-operative Education Award**

Donated by Wanda Mole for the highest mark in Co-operative Education. Award

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of \$100

Katie Carey, 97%

The Year 3 Accounting Award

Donated by Kathy Hutson for the highest mark in Grade 11, University/College Course. Award of \$50

Jamie Sala, 89%

The Ancient Civilization History Award

Donated by Jennifer Paton for the highest mark in the Ancient Civilization History Course. Award of \$75

Janet Shim, 95%

Canadian Mathematics Competitions Awards

Award: Medal – School Winners
Certificates of Distinction

Jenna Benoit: Descartes Contest – Sr. Secondary Level

Ryan Cole: Cayley Contest – Gr. 10

The Haliburton Highlands Senior Citizens' Club Citizenship Awards

Established by the Haliburton Highlands Senior Citizens' Club for two students who exemplify the qualities in our school Credo – respect, commitment and responsibility. Award of \$40 each

Emily Bjelis
Luke Wu

Awards for Music & Art:

The Mrs. Sandra Valentine Scholarship

Established by Sandra Valentine for a music student who has made a significant contribution to the extracurricular Music Programme in the school. Award of \$50

Jen Moore

MUSIC APPRECIATION SCHOLARSHIPS

The total annual proceeds from the following four Scholarships are awarded to a student entering college or university in the field of Music or Musical Theatre.

The Ralph Hussey Memorial Scholarship

Established by William Gliddon

Devin Ryan

The Tim Harrison Memorial Scholarship

Established by the H.H.S.S. Glee Club and H.H.S.S. Lettermen's Club

Devin Ryan

The Mrs. Margaret Finney Memorial Scholarship

Established by William Gliddon

Devin Ryan

The William Gliddon Scholarship

Established by William Gliddon

Devin Ryan

Total Award of \$250

Year 2 Music Award

Established by Joel Levis for the student in Year 2 Music who has had a consistent-



HHSS graduates who received scholarships and bursaries on Saturday

ly high achievement in music classes and shown leadership and commitment in extra-curricular music. Award of \$50

Arlen Davis-Mighton

The Agnes Jamieson Memorial Scholarship for Art

Donated by the Agnes Jamieson Gallery in Minden to a student who has successfully completed the introductory Art Courses and shows promise in the field. Award of \$100

Meghan Mair

The Grade 12 Drama Award

Donated by The Red Hawk Theatre Company to a student who has demonstrated good academic achievement together with active participation in Grade 12 Drama. Award of \$50

Vanessa Smith

The Drama Company Award

"Take Another Bow" award is presented to a student who has made outstanding contributions to the school's drama company.

Kate Foulds

The OSSTF Citizenship Award

Donated by the OSSTF to a male and female who have demonstrated outstanding leadership working with fellow students and helping them reach their potential. Award of \$125 each

Josh Shaw
Sarah Gater

Awards to Graduates:

The Modern Electric Bursary

Donated by the Payne and Fawcett families to a deserving graduate who is entering a business related programme in community college. Award of \$100

Jenny Johnston

The Curry Motors Byron Bain Award

Donated by Curry Motors Limited to a deserving student in Year 4 Transportation Technology who demonstrates a high standard of technical proficiency and is pursuing post-secondary education. Award of \$100

Steve Johnson, 92%

The Jean Lang Millar Music Appreciation Award

Established by J. Burton Millar and Donald Finn for a graduating student who has made a significant contribution to the music life of the school. Award of \$40

Tiffany Roberts

The C. D. Ferguson Memorial Bursary

Established by Marge Ferguson for a graduating student pursuing post-secondary studies in the field of Art. Award of \$50

Not Awarded This Year

The Mrs. Marge Ferguson Award

Established by Marge Ferguson for a graduating student pursuing post-secondary studies in the field of Art. Award of \$50.

Ebony Scalf

The Sarah Nash Memorial Bursary

Established by the family and friends of Sarah Nash for a graduating student who has shown ability in the Visual Arts field. Award of \$150.

Meredith Brown

The A. R. Williams Company Limited Award

Established by A. R. Williams Machinery Company for the student graduating from the Technical Programme with the highest overall average, Year 4. Name on the plaque in the Technical Wing

Jason Hales

The Mrs. Anna English Scholarship for Business and Commerce

Donated by the Teaching Staff of H.H.S.S. to a graduating student who has achieved the highest overall average in several Business and Computer Courses and is entering a business program at the college level. Award of \$345

Adam Frybort

The Wilberforce Veneer Company Limited Award

Established by the Wilberforce Veneer Company to a graduating student who has achieved the highest overall average in Year 4 General Level from several Business and Computer Courses. Name

on Plaque in the Business/Computer Wing.

Adam Frybort

The H.C.A.C.L. – Developmental Services Bursary

Award is presented to a graduate who is pursuing post secondary education in Developmental Service Worker Program. Award of \$50

Not Awarded This Year

The Letsgo Travel Award

Donated by Letsgo Travel to be presented to a deserving graduate who is pursuing post-secondary education in the field of Travel and Tourism. Award of \$200.

Rebecca Howitt

The Canada In North American Perspective Award

Donated by Curry Motors Limited for the highest mark in the Canada In North American Perspective (HCN) History Course. Award of \$300

Liane Dron, 93%

The Laurie Bacon, Valerie Cowan and Leonard V. Stinson Memorial Award

These awards were established by the Girls' Athletic Association to the graduating girl who has been judged to have contributed in an outstanding way to school activities in Year 4. Award of \$80

Danielle Casey

The Emil Neimann Memorial Bursary

Established by the Haliburton Highlands Senior Citizens' Club for two graduating Year 4 students who are continuing their education. Award of \$45 each.

Kyle Aggett
Rebecca Howitt

The Muskoka and Haliburton Association of Realtors

Donated by the Haliburton District Real Estate Board to a deserving student proceeding to post-secondary education. Award of \$200.

Brian Chow

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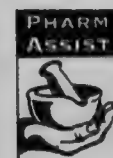


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The Jeff Hutchings Memorial Award

Established by the Canadian Union of Public Employees, Local #997, for a graduating student proceeding with post-secondary education. Award of \$80.

Raydon McCrea

The Russell Andrus Memorial Bursary

Donated by the Haliburton and District Lions' Club to a deserving graduate who is entering a technical programme in a community college. Award of \$400.

Ben Decarlo

Haliburton Lake Cottagers' Association Bursary

Donated by the Haliburton Cottagers' Association to a graduate pursuing post-secondary education in the field of environmental studies. Award of \$100

Margaret Berube

The Penny Pripp Memorial Bursary

Established by relatives, friends, students and teachers of Penny for a graduating student proceeding to further education. Award of \$50

Hanna Kitchingman

The Hewitt Brothers' Transport and Donald J. Finn Bursary

Established by J. Earl Hewitt and Donald J. Finn for a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education. Award of \$75.

Kyle Aggett

The Haliburton Legion Bursary

Donated by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 for a graduating student, general level, proceeding to post-secondary education. Award of \$200

Matt Brown

The Curtis Way Memorial Bursary

Established by Mr. and Mrs. James Way for a graduating General Level student

proceeding to post-secondary education. First consideration will be given to a student who has studied Manufacturing Technology. Award of \$60.

Ashley Fearrey

The Staff Scholarship for Technical Proficiency

Donated by the teaching staff of H.H.S.S. to the student graduating from the Technical Program who achieves the highest overall mark. Award of \$150

Mike Hill

The Rotary Club of Minden Bursary

Established by the Rotary Club of Minden to a graduating General Level student proceeding to post-secondary education. Award of \$500

Ashley Thibadeau

Josten's Citizenship Award

Donated by Josten's for a male and female student who have demonstrated good citizenship in dealing with students and staff. Engraved Watches

Logan Roberts
Kendra Griffin

The Clayton and Phyllis Hodgson Citizenship Bursary

Established by the Hodgson family for a graduating student continuing education at a post-secondary institution who has demonstrated good citizenship and concern for fellow students. Award of \$175

Elizabeth Brown

The Ontario Provincial Police Association Bursaries

Established by the Ontario Provincial Police Assoc. and the Ontario Provincial Police Commissioned Officers to recognize academic achievements by sons or daughters of O.P.P. officers. Award of \$250 each.

Not Awarded This Year

The W. R. Curry Memorial Bursary

Established by Ronald J. Curry for a graduating student proceeding to a community college, preferably Sir Sandford Fleming College. Award of \$100

Kelly Johnston

The Jeff Hutchings Memorial Bursary

Established by the relatives, friends, stu-



Year 4 Honours students

dents and teachers of Jeff for a graduating student proceeding to further education at a post-secondary institution. Award of \$50.

Krista Matysek

The Wendy Schell Memorial Bursary

Established by the relatives, friends, students and teachers of Wendy for a graduating student proceeding to further education at a post-secondary institution. Award of \$50

Hanna Kitchingman

The Bamforth Bursary for Nursing

Established by Dr. Alexander Kennedy for graduating students who are pursuing studies in the nursing profession. Award of \$650

April Wells

The Mrs. Hazel R. Newman Memorial Bursary

Established by Gordon W. Newman to graduating student who has been accepted by and is pursuing studies in the nursing profession. Award of \$230

Kerry Schakelaar

The Rod Henderson Baha'i Scholarship

Established by the Baha'i Community of Haliburton County to a graduate who has shown courage and perseverance in pursuit of post-secondary education. Award of \$500

Caleb Lougheed

The North Entrance Masonic Lodge Bursary

Established by the North Entrance Masonic Lodge #463 for a deserving student who is graduating from Year 4. Award of \$100

Matt Balaski

The Earl Shipley Memorial Bursary

Established by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129, for a deserving graduate who is pursuing further education in the medical field. Award of \$100

Jenn Moynes

The Boshkung Lake Property Owners' Association Award

The award will be presented to a deserving graduate who is continuing his/her education at a college or university. First preference shall be given to a student who is pursuing a career in the environmental

field. Award of \$250

Brittany Prentice

The Sid Stamp Memorial Bursary for Year 4

Donated by Mr. and Mrs. Brian Black for a graduating student who is proceeding to post-secondary education. Award of \$100.

Jinelle Johnston

The John Burton Memorial Bursary

Donated by Mr. and Mrs. Murray Kuno to a deserving student from the Grade 12 Physical and Health Education Programme who is proceeding to a physical and health education programme at college or university. Award of \$200.

Caley Sisson

The Rotary Club of Haliburton Scholarship

Donated by the Rotary Club of Haliburton for the highest total mark in the Mathematics Courses: Calculus, Geometry, Discrete Math and Data Management. Award of \$1000

Jenna Benoit, 99%

The Catholic Women's League of St. Anthony of Padua Award

Presented to a female graduate pursuing post secondary education and having shown exemplary volunteer work in her community. Award of \$100

Elizabeth Brown

The Bitte Schioldan Language Award

Donated by Michele Shapiera to the student who has achieved the highest mark in ENG0A. Award of \$100

Jenna Benoit, 95%

The Daniel and Pauline Otto Bursaries

Established by Hilda Pauline Otto for a deserving male and female graduating student. Award of \$225 each

B. J. Fowler

Kaila Rawlings

The West Side Jug City Achievement Award

Donated by West Side Jug City to a graduating student continuing his/her education at a community college. Award of \$1000.

Tanya Peacock

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Year 5 Honours students



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The Russell and Mary Packard Award
Donated by Russell and Mary Packard to a deserving graduate who has completed a course in Mathematics or a related area. Award of \$100

Raymond Shim

The Joyce Williams Scholarship for English

Donated to the H.H.S.S. Students' Council for the highest total mark in O.A.C. English Literature and English Communications. Award of \$345

Liane Dron, 91%

The Clarence McInerney Scholarship for Geography

Donated by the Teaching Staff of H.H.S.S. for the highest mark in O.A.C. Geography. Award of \$200

Liane Dron, 78%

The Eric Potter Memorial Bursary

Established by the family and friends of Eric Potter for a graduate who has worked hard in order to succeed. Award of \$225

Danielle Casey

The George H. Thayer Scholarship for Science

Donated by the Teaching Staff of H.H.S.S. for the highest total mark in O.A.C. Sciences. Award of \$345

Jenna Benoit, 90%

Mrs. Lillian Curry Scholarship for Languages

Donated by the Highland Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star for the highest mark in O.A.C. French (FSG0A). Award of \$150

Amanda Boughner, 92%

The Rodney Gorveatt Memorial Bursary

Established by relatives, friends, students and teachers of Rodney for a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education. Award of \$50

Krista Matysek

The Rodney Gorveatt Memorial Scholarship

Established by Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Gorveatt for a graduating O.A.C. student furthering education at a Canadian university, preferably in law. Award of \$60

Billie Maw

The Mrs. Jean Herlihey Memorial Bursary

Established by the Herlihey family for a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education. Award of \$125

Michelle Fowler

The Bob Herlihey Memorial Award

Established by the family and friends of Bob Herlihey for a graduating student who has taken a programme of technical courses and has had outstanding academic achievement. Award of \$400

Steve Johnson

The Retired Teachers of Ontario, Haliburton Unit

Donated by the Retired Teachers of Ontario to an OAC student proceeding to post-secondary education, preferably in concurrent education. Award of \$500

Laura Kennedy

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The Rotary Club of Haliburton Bursary
Donated by the Rotary Club of Haliburton to a deserving O.A.C. graduating student proceeding to further education at a Canadian university. Award of \$1000

Tanya Hunter

The Ross Rigney Award

Donated by the Haliburton Chamber of Commerce to a graduating student who has shown leadership. Award of \$200

Megan Woodman

The Haliburton County Development Corporation Award

Established by the H.C.D.C. for a graduating student continuing his/her studies in a Business or Technical Program. Award of \$175

Kori Roberts

Kevker Publications Award

Donated by Kevker Publications Ltd. to a graduate pursuing post-secondary education in the field of Journalism or graphic arts. Award of \$100

Taryn Clarke

HHSS Forest Management Award

Donated by Peter Hynard of Timber Management Services to a deserving graduate pursuing post-secondary education in "Forest Management". Award of \$300

Lacey Trotter

The Stuart W. Baker Award

Donated by Mrs. Dorothy Baker to a graduating student who has made a significant contribution to improving the school environment for the student body. Award of \$200

Tanya Hunter

The Riddell Memorial Environmental Bursary

Donated by the Canning Lake Property Owners' Association to a graduate proceeding to post-secondary education in the field of Environmental Science. Award of \$300

Amanda Bird

The Mrs. Louise Clark Bursary

Established by the late Mrs. Louise Clark for a deserving graduate. Not awarded this year

The Haliburton Legion Scholarship

Donated by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 to a graduating O.A.C. student who has had outstanding academic success and has shown leadership in

extra-curricular or athletic activities in the school. Award of \$100

Ryan Emmerson

The Haliburton Legion Military Training Bursary

Donated by the Royal Canadian Legion, Branch #129 to a graduating student who is pursuing a military career and enters a military college. Award of \$200

Not awarded this year

The Beverley Anne Millar Bursary

Established by the Township of Minden Hills for a graduating student who is pursuing post-secondary education and has made a significant contribution to school life. Award of \$100

Krista Matysek

The O.A.C. Family Studies Award

Donated by Mrs. Rosie Kenney to a graduate who has demonstrated outstanding achievements in the Canadian Family Studies course. Award of \$150

Tori Browne, 93%

The Mrs. Mary Coneybeare Memorial Bursary

Donated by Mr. Jim Churko to a graduate who is pursuing post-secondary education at college or university. Award of \$250

Tal Pothaar

The Ethel L. Curry Bursary

Established by Miss Ethel L. Curry for a graduating student who has made a significant contribution to the school in the arts field. Award of \$200

Tiffany Roberts

The Ronald J. Curry Memorial Bursary

Established by Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Curry for a graduating student continuing his/her education. Award of \$100

Jason Hales

The Eric Nystedt Memorial Awards

Established by the Eric Nystedt Memorial Fund for two graduates who are attending university and who have made significant contributions to athletics. Award of \$325 each

Kerry Schakelaar

Will Arnup

The Margaret Sisson Memorial Bursary

Established by the Sisson family for a deserving graduate. Award of \$400

Patti Riley

Aramark Bursary

Donated by Aramark Canada Limited to a graduating student who is pursuing post-secondary education, preferably in the food service, hospitality industry. Award of \$200

Chris Baumhour

The Rotary Club of Minden Scholarship

Established by the Rotary Club of Minden to a graduating O.A.C. student who has demonstrated good academic achievement and active participation in athletics or extracurricular activities at H.H.S.S. Award of \$500

Keegan MacKenzie

The Al Stott Memorial Award

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award will be presented to a graduating student who is proceeding to further education at a post-secondary institution. First preference shall be given to a student who has made significant contribution to the school in the arts, drama and music field and who is pursuing related studies. Award of \$1,000
Meredith Brown

The Lodenquai Scholarship

Established by Dr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Lodenquai for the second highest overall average on graduation from the O.A.C. year. Award of \$50

Liane Dron, 91.25%

The F. D. Herlihey Memorial Scholarship

Established by F. Harold Herlihey for the highest overall average on graduation from the O.A.C. year. Award of \$140

Jenna Benoit, 92.8%

Principal's Award for Student Leadership

Established by the Ontario Principal's Council to a deserving student who has shown outstanding leadership qualities. Award of \$200 and engraved name on recipient's plaque and plaque that is displayed in the school.

Jenna Benoit

The C. Jean Levis Calculus Award

Established by the staff of H.H.S.S. for the highest overall mark in Grade 12 Calculus. Award of \$50

Jenna Benoit, 99%

The Basil Hewitt Bursary

Established by Kirk Hewitt and family for a deserving graduate pursuing post-secondary education who has demonstrated a strong work ethic in the community and at school. Award of \$200

Megan Paul

The Brenda Lea Ripley Scholarship

Presented to a graduate pursuing post-secondary education in the field of Horticulture. Award of \$500

Jessica Swan

The Gloria Lemieux Awards

Established by the estate of Gloria Lemieux to graduates who have demonstrated an outstanding contribution to school life. Award of \$1000 each

Logan Roberts
Kendra Griffin
Liane Dron

The Haliburton Highlands Health Services Foundation Scholarship

Presented to a deserving graduating student who is proceeding to post-secondary education in the field of Health Services, other than nursing. Award of \$500

Sheena O'Connor



HHSS School Letter achievers



Top graduating student and winner of the Governor General's Academic Medal, Jenna Benoit, with principal Gary Brohman

The Robert (Bob) Sisson Memorial Bursary

Established by Martin and Victoria Sisson, to be presented to a graduating student proceeding to post-secondary education. Preference given to a student who has made a significant contribution in the arts, drama and music field. Award of \$90

Tiffany Roberts

EMS Award

Established by the staff of Haliburton Emergency Services to a deserving graduate student pursuing a post-secondary education in the paramedic field. Award of \$200

Andrea Robinson

The Brenda Ann Chambers Award

Established in memory of Brenda Ann Chambers for a deserving graduate who has shown excellence in applying ecologi-



Duke of Edinburgh award winner Janet Shim

cal principles to field practices. Award of \$100

Margaret Berube

Haliburton Highlands Bursary Awards

Donated by the Scholarship Bursary Fund. Award of \$275 each

Aaron Martin
Sean Carrell

Ken Wilson Award

Donated by the Scholarship Fund in recognition of the twelve years Ken Wilson has volunteered his time as the Treasurer of the H.H.S.S. Scholarship Perpetual Fund. Award of \$275

Stephanie Sternberg

Aiming for the Top Tuition Scholarship

Established by the Government of Ontario in recognition of outstanding academic achievement in the final year of secondary school.

Chris Baumhour
Margaret Berube
Meredith Brown
Sean Carrell
Danielle Casey
Rebecca Howitt
Tanya Peacock
Andrea Robinson

Michelle Russell
Josh Shaw
Ashley Thibadeau

The Governor General's Academic Medal

Donated by the Governor General of Canada to the student who achieves the highest academic standing in the graduating class. Bronze Medal

Jenna Benoit, 92.8%

Canada Millennium Excellence Award Certificate(s)

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Kerry Schakelaar - Local Level

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Kerry Schakelaar

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Stephanie Sternberg
Jessica Swan
Tracy Tibbitts

Haliburton Highlands Honour Society Certificates

Amanda Boughner
Tori Browne
Jennifer Carpenter
Andrew Mansfield
Jen Moore
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Tanya Peacock
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Stacey Schell
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Vanessa Smith
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SENIOR LEAGUE

News from Hyland Crest

All of us here at Hyland Crest are really enjoying the colours of fall.

Last Thursday we were invited to the auditorium with our friends at the day centre to watch the square dancers. The costumes were as colourful as the leaves. We enjoyed the dances, their music, refreshments and all the fun.

At cards last week Margaret Besse and Roy Nichols played against Blanche Wright and Mary Goldsmith. The final score favoured Margaret and Roy.

Happy Hour brought us Les Schell and Kathleen Owens to enjoy. Thank you Kathleen and Les we enjoyed your music and visit. After a seminar, Linda taught us some fun, new exercises at "Keep Fit." We even went for a walk around the facility and Lilian Harrison says that soon we'll be doing the "Hyland Fling."

Several residents attended bingo Saturday morning. Mary Goldsmith was our jackpot winner. Other winners were Lilian Harrison, Harold Orsborn and Vera Stevens. Thanks to Pearl and Maxine for their dedicated support.

Sunday Morning was Hymn Sing with our Chapel Service in the afternoon. Our get-well wishes go out to Reverend Overall. We hope you'll be back with us soon. Pastor Dan Millard and his wife Kathy brought their newly adopted daughter, Elizabeth, to meet us all. What a precious little girl! We thank you for sharing her with us.

Wednesday afternoon residents made a

"Garland of Gratitude" in anticipation of Thanksgiving. Betty Emslie, Keith Brannigan, Margaret Foote, Richarda Rogers, Ruth Nesbitt, Blanche Wright and Alice Sedgewick all worked on the project and all had many things to be thankful for. Wednesday evening at Pub Night Ruth and Jack Worthington entertained us with their singing and piano music. We are happy to learn that the Worthingtons will be one of our close neighbours as of November. We appreciate the time they share with us.

We were all saddened by the passing of Nellie Ranson. Nellie has lived at Hyland Crest for many years and we will all miss her very much.

Our condolences go out to Nancy and Dana Lee on the passing of their sister and sister-in-law. Our thoughts are with you both at this time. We're glad to hear that Margaret Besse's son is feeling better after his bout with pneumonia. Everyone is happy to welcome Thelma Oldreive to our home at Hyland Crest.

Remember to mark Oct. 24th on your calendars. This is our family meeting to be held in the auditorium of Hyland Crest at 7 p.m. Come out and see what is involved in developing a family council.

Birthday wishes go out to Gerald Coulter, William Redgrave, Laura Upton and Thelma Deacon. All of us are looking forward to our Thanksgiving turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Thank you to our cooks who fuss over these delicious meals.

We hope everyone had a happy Thanksgiving and we wish you all the blessings of the season. Take care and God bless. Remember: "Yesterday is history, tomorrow is mystery, today a gift."

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DORSET NEWS

Melissa Alfano

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"Life is either a daring adventure or nothing." Helen Keller (1880-1968).

The Dorset Seniors Social Club wishes to thank all the local merchants who so generously donated articles to the auction portion of the Spaghetti Dinner held last week. The dinner and auction was a huge success, with guests from Carnarvon, Stanhope, Minden, Baysville, Dwight and many others visiting the Dorset area. Most left with something special for Santa to put under the tree or were lucky to find an item they'd been searching for.

The club was gayly decorated especially for a spaghetti dinner complete with colourful fall leaves, bright yellow flowers and red checkered table cloths sewn by members of the club.

The Haliburton County Public library has added a ton of books to its collection - too numerous to list them all, but here are a few: Eureka by William Diehl, The Fat Flush Plan by Ann Louise Gittleman, Courting Trouble by Lisa Scottoline, PCs for Dummies by Dan Gookin, Magnolia Creek by Jill Marie Landis, A Song Flung Up to Heaven by Maya Angelou and Picasso: My Grandfather by Marina Picasso. Come in to your local library and check them out.

The Dorset Recreation Centre, with the help of the Dorset Lions Club, is once again hosting the annual Children's Pumpkin Carving Party on Oct. 30 from 7

to 8 p.m. Come and try your hand at carving a ghoulish Jack-O-Lantern, to be displayed at the Children's Halloween Party on Oct. 31. This event is open to all ages but please call ahead as pumpkins are limited. Call 766-9968 to register.

The Children's Halloween Party promises to be another great spooky event for all with games, prizes, candy and more. This year at the party, the Dorset Lions are asking for your help for something special. It's the "Jeepers Creepers, We Need Your Peepers" campaign. Lions members will be at the Children's Halloween Party to collect your old eyeglasses, which will be refurbished and distributed to those not as fortunate as us. You can also drop them off at the Recreation Centre any time before the 31st. For more information about this campaign, please call Paul Wilson at 705-766-9971. For information about the Halloween Party you can call 705-766-9968.

Join the Friends of the Frost Centre for a bewitching evening of dining, music and outdoor theatre that takes you on a magical journey through time. The event is "Rogues and Rangers, A Walk With The Spirits," to be held on Saturday, November 2 beginning at 5:30 p.m. Cost is \$25 per person for members or \$30 per person for non-members. For tickets contact the Friends office at 705-766-1399.

Birthday wishes this week go out to Christopher Bennett and Dave McKey. Have a wonderful day!

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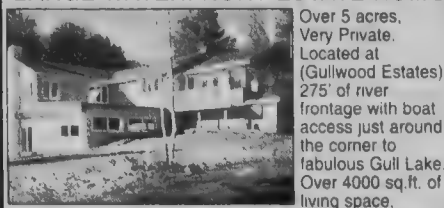
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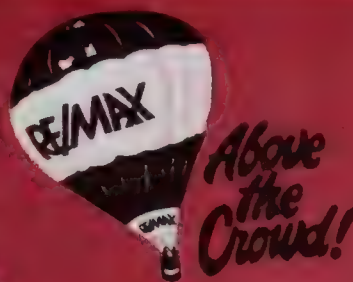
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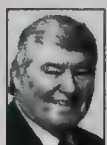
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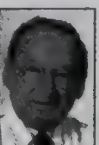
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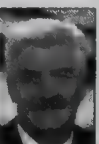
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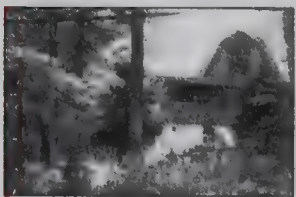
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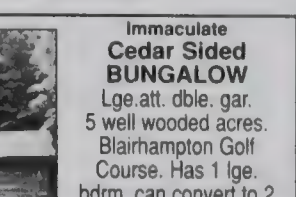


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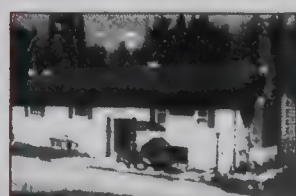
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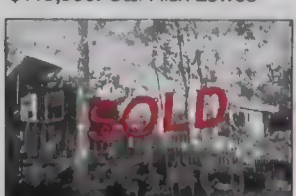
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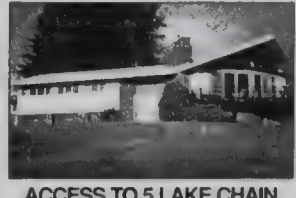
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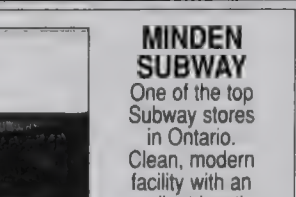


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- **The Haliburton Highlands Prostate Cancer Support Group** meets the 3rd Tuesday of every month at 7:00 p.m., in the Fireside lounge at the Hyland Crest Senior Citizen's Home in Minden. All men and the women who love them are welcome. For info., please call Rick Ratcliff at 286-6699 or email: leacliff@sympatico.ca.
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- **Urgent Need of Respite Volunteers?** Haliburton County Home Support Services is in urgent need of Respite Volunteers for the Minden area. We are looking for volunteers who would be able to give a couple of hours a week to sit, read or chat over a cup of tea with a client, while their caregiver gets a much needed break. Do you want to make a difference in someone's life? We are looking for you! Call 457-2941 for more information.
- **October 15:** Association of Ireland's own calls all those living in the City of Kawartha Lakes who have an Irish Connection to join us at 7 p.m., at the Boys & Girls Club, 107 Lindsay Street South, Lindsay. Enjoy a social time and, if you want, learn a few steps of Irish Step Dancing. For further information call 705-438-5313.
- **October 16:** Women's Institute of Minden welcome guests to our meeting to be held at the Agnes Jamieson Gallery at 1:30 p.m. Our discussion will be on Education. Interested? Call 489-4343.
- **October 15:** Diabetes Support Group meeting in Minden in the Fireplace Lounge at 2:00 p.m.
- **October 15:** Aquasize classes are being offered through Home Support, 9:30 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. Call Ida at 457-2941 for more information.
- **October 15:** The Alzheimer Society invites all its Members and Friends to the Lindsay office located at 55 Mary St. West, suite #201 (The gateway Plaza) on October 9 from 7:00 p.m. for our Annual General Meeting. There will be a Volunteer Recognition following a short business meeting. Everyone welcome. Refreshments will follow. Contact 878-0126 for further details.
- **October 17:** Haliburton 50+ Club...welcomes you to join us for a new winter season. This month we will be having a Pot-Luck Supper and a social evening. Doors open 4:30 p.m. Dinner at 5:30 p.m. New members welcome. If attending, please let Mary or Brian know by Tuesday, October 15. Call 754-3319
- **October 17:** You are invited to join the Haliburton Highlands Senior Citizen Club weekly luncheon at the Haliburton Legion at 12 noon. A time of good food, fun and fellowship. All seniors of the community are welcome.
- **October 17:** Tutor Training. Help adults learn reading and writing. Two part series 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. For more information call Haliburton Highlands Learning Program 457-3430.
- **October 17:** Minden Health Care Auxiliary invite you to attend Bid Euchre at 1:00 p.m. Hearted room at Hyland Crest. Proceeds to the Minden Health Care Facility.
- **October 19:** The Harvest Feast Supper, sponsored by the Kinmount United Church Women, will be held at the Legion Hall in Kinmount, 4:00 - 6:30 p.m. Tickets available at the door.
- **October 21:** Wilma Witch brews up goop! Join us at C.H.A.C.E. Resource Centre Minden at 11:00 a.m. for a neat science experiment! 286-1770
- **October 21:** ESL Classes to help new Canadians develop their speaking/reading skills. 9:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. in Haliburton. Free, run by trained volunteers. Call 457-4562 for assessment and registration.
- **October 21:** Folk Art Class at 10 a.m. at the Dorset Recreation Centre.
- **October 22:** The Alzheimer Society invites all its Members and Friends to the Lindsay office located at 55 Mary St. West, suite #201 (The gateway Plaza) on October 9 from 7:00 p.m. for our Annual General Meeting. There will be a Volunteer Recognition following a short business meeting. Everyone welcome. Refreshments will follow. Contact 878-0126 for further details.
- **October 23:** H.A.V.E. (Have A Village Effort) General Meeting at 6 p.m. Pot Luck Supper at the home of Ron & Toos Reid. Everyone welcome. For more information call 489-2431.
- **October 25 - 27:** Women's Outdoor Weekend at the Leslie M. Frost Natural Resources Centre. A program of the OFAH. The Women's Outdoor Weekend is for women looking to develop or enhance their outdoor skills and their understanding of the natural world. Course features handgun, shotgun and rifle classes, archery, fly fishing, canoeing, backpacking, maps & compass classes and so much more. Contact Cathy Atkinson, 905-765-0851 or visit www.ofah.org/programs/wow
- **October 25:** Alzheimer Society Family/Caregiver Group from 1 p.m. to 3 p.m. at the Kinmount and District Health Centre. Open Group. A Portable Library is also available in your area for home viewing.
- **October 28:** Hearing Clinic at the Dorset Recreation Centre at 10 a.m. until 4 p.m.
- **October 28:** Folk Art Class at 10 a.m. at the Dorset Recreation Centre.
- **October 28:** Jr. Badminton 5:30 p.m. / Adult Badminton 6:30 p.m. at the Dorset Recreation Centre.
- **October 29:** Diabetes Support Group meetings in Haliburton at the Hospital in the H.HOSP Boardroom at 12:00 p.m.
- **October 30:** C.H.A.C.E. Resource Centre Minden will be holding its annual Halloween Party and Potluck Lunch. Games, crafts and a haunted house. 10:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Call 286-1770.

Events listings are provided **FREE** for non-profit groups on a space-available basis. While we endeavor to accommodate requests for publication, we cannot guarantee that all requests for listings will appear. Requests should be faxed to The Times at 286-4768, emailed to editor@mindentimes.on.ca, or brought in to the office. **NOTE:** This calendar is **NOT A COMPREHENSIVE LISTING OF ALL EVENTS** taking place in the area. Please check the classified pages, display advertising and articles appearing elsewhere in The Times for more information on events and in the Highlands.

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AROUND THE TOWN

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Forty-five columns later, just when I am starting to feel smug about my basic computer skills, along comes that granddaughter Emma to do her Grade 9 homework all ten fingers flying across the laptop keyboard. It sure keeps you humble. This morning's email attachment from Crystal Lake friend Evelyn puts it all in better perspective. "Technology For Country Folk" gives definitions of common computer jargon much more to my liking. If you "log on" it will make the wood stove hotter, "log off" will cool it down, and "monitor" means keeping a watchful eye on the beast. To "download" take the firewood off the truck but be forewarned that a "floppy disk" may result from trying to carry too much of it. For most of us a "hard drive" is just trying to get back home in winter. My favourite, "Windows" is what you shut when it gets cold outside.

Now with the Scoring News comes your usual reminder to keep busy and well.

Thursday, October 3 euchre at the Minden Legion Branch 636: For most lone hands it was Laura Carnegie for the ladies and Brian McDonald for the gents. High score honours were shared by Theresa Deak and John Mallon, while Maxine Cross and Tom Orr took the lows. Other prize winners were Carol Hill, Vicki Campagnolo and Jim Bradbury.

Thursday, October 3 duplicate bridge at the Fish Hatchery, Haliburton: In first with 68% was the team of Carol McCord and Ken Sheppard, with Betty Dicker and Harold Cox second at 52%.

Friday, October 4 bid euchre at Club 35, Halls Lake: Moonshots landed on Peter Farr, Marge Richardson, Wally Thomson, Helen Henderson and Gayle McConnell, with Marg Coffey taking the hidden score. For the pinks it was Barb Robitaille tops at 302, followed by Marion Farr 276, then Marge Richardson and Helen Henderson tied for third at 261. Tom Pearson's score of 305 led the white cardholders, with Peter Farr second at 280 and Wally Thomson third at 251.

Friday, October 4 duplicate bridge at Echo Hills, Haliburton. Leading the top trio was the duo of Ken and Ron Sheppard 67%, followed by Jacqueline and Kelly Metcalf 59%, then Ev and Fred Vanderland 56%.

Saturday, October 5 bid euchre at Staanworth Terrace, Minden: In first place was Georgina Deeks with 254, then Dorothy McElwain second at 245. Ruth Kellett had the only moonshot. The popular monthly pot luck will be Oct. 19 at noon, with cards to follow at 1 p.m. Good wishes are sent out to all who are "under the weather" and the group looks forward to welcoming those familiar faces back soon.

Monday, October 7 euchre at the Friendship Club, St. Paul's Anglican Church, Minden: In the lone hands column it was Jesse Barlow and Betty Sharpe, with Don Hicks and Joyce Ritchie taking the high scores for men/ladies. Low scores of the day were recorded by Tim Sharpe and Jeanne Keliele while, Fern Donnelly and Don Hicks won the special draws.

Monday, October 7 cribbage at the Minden Legion Branch 636: Thanks to Maxine Cross for reporting that Dean Chambers took first place, with Jim Foster

second. The draws went to Jean Scadden, Vicki Campagnolo, Gil Moat and Don Burch.

Monday, October 7 euchre at Club 35, Halls Lake: Jean Randell held the most lone hands, while Helen

Windsor and Bud Pipher took the top scores. The low score category was a family affair for Marjorie and Alvin Cowen. Mary Schad received the baloney.

Monday, October 7 euchre at Staanworth Terrace, Minden: In the high score it was Elda Henderson first, with Helen Skelding taking the low, Elaine Yeo winning for lone hands and Loyas Henderson awarded the special prize. Thanks to Idella Gault for her update.

Monday, October 7 bid euchre at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441: First place went to Vic Ballik, with Bill St. Thomas second. Joan Taylor and Esther Lee had moonshots, while the draw winners were Marg Viney and Vic Ballik.

Tuesday, October 8 contract bridge at Stanhope: There was one slam by Muriel McIntosh and Ray Moore. Wynne Hansen won the special draw prize. Len McNeice had the highest score of 6390, followed by Ray Moore 5480, Mary McNeice 5380 and Muriel McIntosh 5220. For his efforts Len, (Mr. Modesty), received the "MM Award" then promptly requested his close friend Frank Schlotter be given the "DAF" Award. Convener Ross Fletcher advises to stay tuned for the next chapter in this ongoing "Diamonds Are Forever" saga.

Tuesday, October 8 euchre at the Lochlin Community Centre: George Bartley had the high score for the men, with Joyce Schellenberg low. Leading the ladies was Emily Harvie, with Lorna Hicks taking the low score. Lone hand honours went to Gerald Hicks. Perry Peacock received the prize for average score and Jim Walters and Percy McBain won the special draws. Reporter Barbara Carpenter indicates there was a great turnout for this event, which takes place every other week.

Tuesday, October 8 bid euchre at the Minden Legion Branch 636: The top trio was Marcel Roussel, Norm Lee and Anne Baker, with moonshots going to Jean Scadden, Kevin Maloney and Marcel Roussel. Kevin Maloney also shared the hidden score prize with Gala Stamp.

Wednesday, October 9 duplicate bridge at Park Lane, Haliburton: Kelly Metcalf and Ross Davies were first with 58%, followed by Muriel McIntosh partnered with Ross Fletcher 56%. There was a tie for third place between the teams of Jacqueline Metcalf and Hal Beach and Joyce Burtch with Norma Crewson at 52%.

Wednesday, October 9 bid euchre at Stanhope: Single moonshots landed on Peter Farr, Jean Scadden, Norm Lee and Mary Pipher, with Vicki Campagnolo taking two. Vicki also led the pinks with 294, with Pearl Foster second at 280 and Katie Parker 265 third. Topping the white cardholders was Peter Farr 297, then David Lamb 273 and Norm Lee 269. Gala Stamp reminds that the Pot Luck takes place next Oct. 16 at 6 p.m. with cards at 7 p.m..

Wednesday, October 9 euchre at the Kinmount Legion Branch 441: For the ladies it was Joyce Schellenberg with the high score and Emily Harvie the low. Danny Pappas was tops for the gents, with Roger Fournier low. The lone hand winner was Theresa Deak, while Jim Corbett and Barb Dunbar took the special draws.

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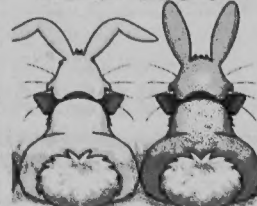
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WE WOULD LIKE to express our sincere appreciation to the family, friends and neighbours who supported us with friendship, flowers, donations and food during our recent loss. Thank you to the I.C.U. staff at Peterborough Regional Health Centre. A special thanks to Dr. Tina Stephenson and the nursing staff of the Haliburton Hospital. It meant so much to him to be home in Haliburton. **The Schell Family - Edna, Robin, Mark, Rachel and Families.**

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ALBERT E. "BUD" MEDLEY After a valiant struggle with Alzheimer's Disease, Bud passed away peacefully at Victoria House, Victoria Manor, Lindsay, on October 8, 2002 In his 91st year.

Loving husband for 62 years of Muriel Ruth (nee Harrison) presently residing at Victoria Manor, Lindsay. Loving father of Glenda and John Atkins of Lindsay, Larry and Rosalyn of Calabogie and grandfather of eight grandchildren, six great grandchildren and one great great grandson. Predeceased by his parents Wesley and Bertha (Carnahan) Medley, by his siblings Myrtle and Keith Day, William "Bill" and Rachel Medley, and Madeline Gregory. Fondly remembered by his nieces, nephews and friends. A Memorial Service was held in the chapel at Victoria Manor, 220 Angeline St. S., Lindsay, on Thursday, October 10, 2002, at 2:00 p.m. Reception followed. Cremation has taken place. Interment will be held at Twelve Mile Lake Cemetery, Carnarvon on Saturday, October 19, 2002 at 11 a.m. Memorial donations to the Victoria Manor would be appreciated by the family and can be made through the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Main St., Minden KOM 2K0 (1-705-286-2181). **CA**

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BIBBY, WILLIAM ALBERT (Al): Passed away at London Health Science Centre on Wednesday, October 2, 2002, at the age of 67. A Thespian from England, former Camel Jockey, Al was most remembered as a detective with the Minden O.P.P. Loving father of Jane Young and her husband Kelly of Fergus, and Lynn Bibby Smith and her husband Bryan of Fergus. Loving "Al" to his grandchildren Matthew and Joshua. Dear brother of Les and his family, and Jeanne and her family. Remembered by his cousin Colin Tracey and his family. Memorial Service was held at St. James Anglican Church, Fergus, on Saturday, October 5, 2002, at 11 a.m. Funeral arrangements entrusted to Graham A. Giddy Funeral Home and Chapel, 280 St. David Street South, Fergus. If desired, donations may be made to the Heart and Stroke Foundation (Cards available at funeral home, 843-3100). Funeral information available at www.grahamgiddyfh.com **CA**

NELLIE RANSON (Resident of Hyland Crest Senior Citizen Home, Minden) Passed away peacefully at the Ross Memorial Hospital, Lindsay, on Friday, October 4, 2002, In her 90th year.

Predeceased by her husband Raymond of Minden. Mother of William of Newfoundland, Douglas of Orangeville and predeceased by her son David of Minden. Sadly missed by her daughters-in-law, her grandchildren and by their families. Loving sister-in-law of Helen Ranson of Lindsay. Friends were invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Main St., Minden (1-888-588-5777) on Monday, October 7, 2002, from 5:00 to 9:00 p.m. and on Tuesday, October 8, 2002 from 10 a.m. until the time of the Funeral Service in the Chapel at 11 a.m. Interment to follow at the Minden Cemetery. Memorial donations to the Hyland Crest Residents Council would be appreciated by the family. **CA**

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STELLA LEONA "TED" HARTIN Passed away suddenly at her home in Lindsay on Saturday, October 5, 2002 In her 83rd year.

Beloved wife of the late Albert Hartin. Dear mother of Donald and his wife Noreen of Sault Ste. Marie, Helen and her husband Brock Kellett of Caledon East. Loving grandmother of Dean (Debbie), Donalyn (Larry), Kim (Dale), Duane (Tena) and great grandmother of Megan, Ryan, Amy, Ethan and April. Dear sister of Gertrude Stewart, Fred Couvier, Wayne Belfry, predeceased by Gary Belfry and Berdena (Toots) Miles. Friends were invited to visit the family at the Gordon A. Monk Funeral Home Ltd., 127 Main St., Minden (1-888-588-5777) from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m. on Tuesday. Funeral Service was held in the Chapel on Wednesday, October 9, 2002, at 1:00 p.m. Interment Kinmount Cemetery. Reception followed at the Royal Canadian Legion, Br. #441, Kinmount. Memorial donations to the Heart and Stroke Foundation would be appreciated by the family. **CA**

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